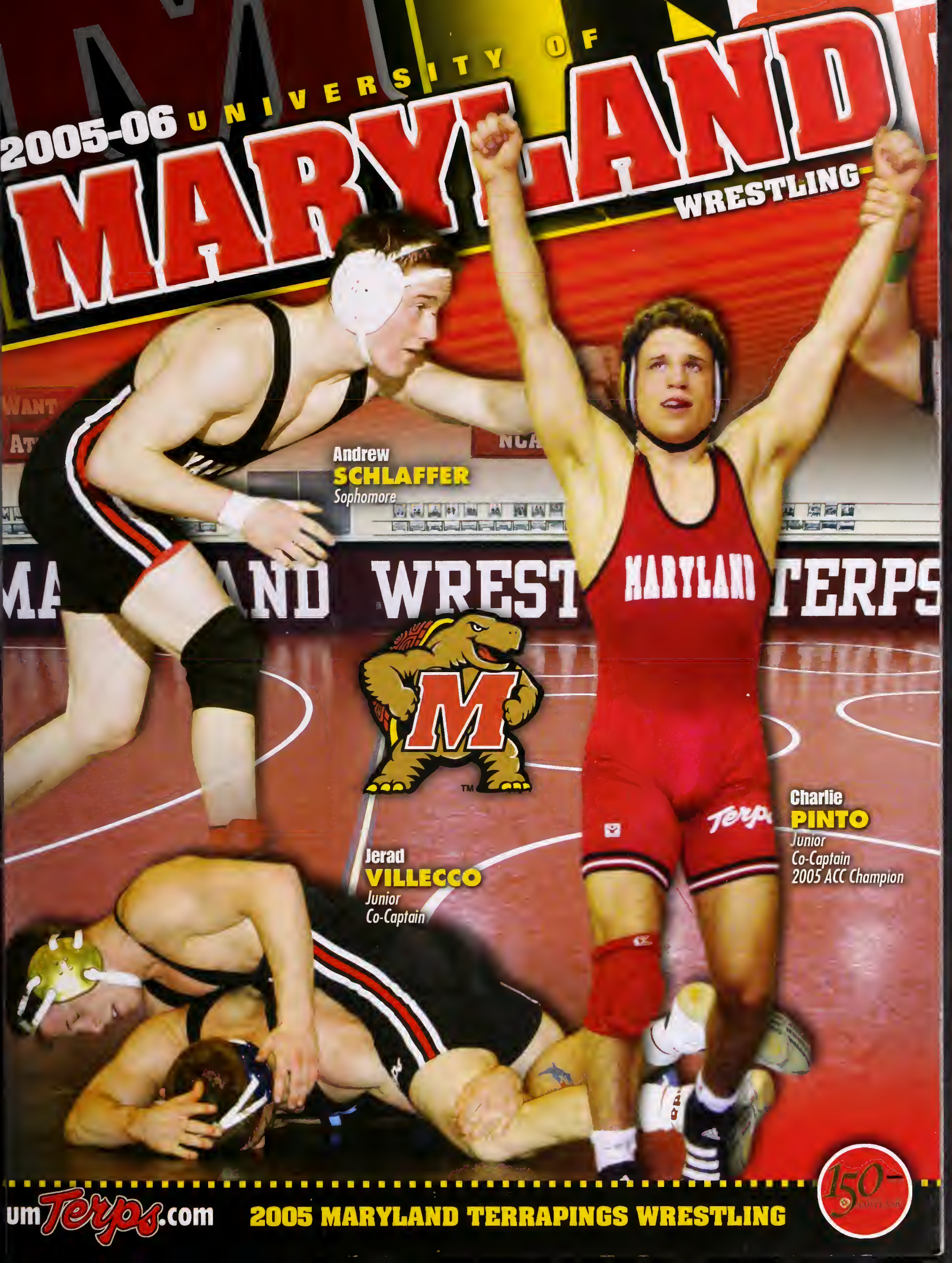
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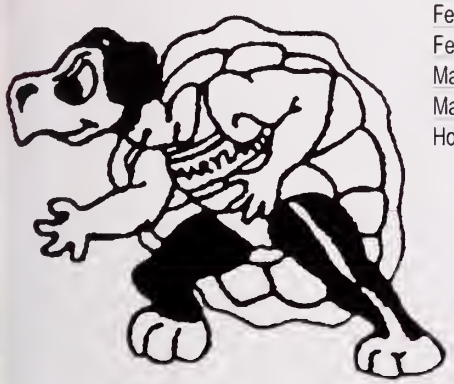

2005 QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of School: University of Maryland
City/Zip: College Park, Md., 20742
Founded/Enrollment: 1807/35,329
Nickname: Terrapins/Terps
School Colors: Red, White, Black and Gold
Arena (Capacity): Comcast Center Pavilion (1,500)
Affiliation: Division I
Conference: Atlantic Coast
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Assistant Coaches: Todd Beckerman (Nebraska, 2001), Brad Dillon (Lehigh, 2004)

TEAM INFORMATION

2004-05 Dual Record: 3-13-1
Conference Record/Finish: 0-5/6th
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/6
NCAA Qualifiers: Charlie Pinto (141)
Top Returnees: Josh Haines (184), Charlie Pinto (141), Andrew Schlaffer (149), Jerad Villecco (149), Kevin Vinh (125/133)

2005-06 SCHEDULE

Date	*Opponent/Event*	*Location*	*Time*
Nov. 3	**WRESTLE-OFFS**	**College Park, Md.**	**7 p.m.**
Nov. 12	vs. Old Dominion	Edinboro, Pa.	1 p.m.
	vs. Slippery Rock	Edinboro, Pa.	3 p.m.
	at Edinboro	Edinboro, Pa.	5 p.m.
Nov. 19	Cornell Body Bar	Ithaca, N.Y.	9 a.m.
Nov. 26	Mat Town Invitational	Lock Haven, Pa.	9 a.m.
Dec. 4	**AMERICAN**	**College Park, Md.**	**Noon**
Dec. 10	**RIDER**	**College Park, Md.**	**Noon.**
Dec. 11	**RUTGERS**	**College Park, Md.**	**2 p.m.**
Dec. 29-30	Southern Scuffle	Greensboro, N.C.	9 a.m.
Jan. 7	at Penn	Philadelphia, Pa.	2 p.m.
Jan. 11	at Navy	Annapolis, Md.	7:30 p.m.
Jan. 13	**NC STATE***	**College Park, Md.**	**7 p.m.**
Jan. 21	**VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE**	**College Park, Md.**	**1 p.m.**
Jan. 27	**VIRGINIA TECH***	**College Park, Md.**	**7 p.m.**
Jan. 28	**NORTH CAROLINA***	**College Park, Md.**	**1 p.m.**
	DUKE*	**College Park, Md.**	**3 p.m.**
Feb. 4	vs. Hofstra	Lehigh, Pa.	11 a.m.
	at Lehigh	Lehigh, Pa.	3 p.m.
Feb. 11	at UNC Greensboro	Greensboro, N.C.	11 a.m.
Feb. 17	at Virginia*	Charlottesville, Va.	7:30 p.m.
Feb. 18	at George Mason	Fairfax, Va.	Noon
Mar. 4	ACC Championships	Lexington, Va.	11 a.m.
Mar. 16-18	NCAA Championships	Oklahoma City, Okla.	

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2005-06 MARYLAND WRESTLING

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Beginning Of A New Era In Maryland Wrestling

Pat Santoro begins his third season as the Terps' head coach with a mission of returning a winning tradition back to Maryland. Santoro has landed back-to-back nationally ranked recruiting classes in his two seasons to go along with veterans like Charlie Pinto, who captured the ACC title and an NCAA Tournament berth at 141 pounds last season.

Santoro not only molds outstanding wrestlers, but also well-rounded student-athletes. Last season, the Terrapins earned the ACC Sportsmanship Award as voted on by the teams in the conference. Maryland was also recognized by the National Wrestling Coaches Association (NWCA) for its outstanding academic achievements during the 2004-05 year. The Terps compiled a team GPA of 3.0498, which ranked 12th in the country.

The Terps will take on some of the top competition across the country in preparation for the conference and national tournaments in March. To support these efforts, the Terps are now fully funded and are surrounded by state-of-the-art facilities located within the Comcast Center.

It's a good time to be a Terp!

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COMCAST CENTER

Home of the Terrapins

Maryland's new student activities building and home of Maryland Athletics was completed in fall 2002. Comcast Center's main arena provides a seating capacity of 17,950 fans for basketball, andserves as a campus site for university special events and select community events.

An additional 1,500-seat gym serves as home to the Terps' wrestling, gymnastics and volleyball teams, and the Nextel Heritage Hall multi-purpose room (capacity 400) is equipped to host banquets, press conferences, large meetings and serve as a pregame restaurant suite overlooking the competition arena.

The Comcast Center also houses the university's athletics administration offices and includes a 7,000-square-foot Academic Support Center, providing an enhanced study atmosphere for the school's 700 student-athletes on 27 teams.

Comcast Center is an excellent place for alumni and fans to enjoy their favorite sports and share their common Terrapin spirit. Visitors will learn about the men and women who have made Maryland Athletics great as they stroll through the dramatic Terrapin Walk of Fame and History. And the Terrapin Team Store, located just off the soaring three-level atrium lobby, allows visitors to outfit their pride. Maryland has once again reclaimed the status of having the best student activities center and athletics home in the country.

FRIENDS OF MARYLAND WRESTLING

Friends of Maryland Wrestling is a sport-specific fundraising group that provides a tangible and consistent way to focus fan enthusiasm and support into specific initiatives to benefit Maryland Wrestling. Members of Friends of Maryland Wrestling include former wrestlers, parents of current wrestlers, faculty and staff, and fans of wrestling.

Your support enables us to pursue our top priorities: (1) additional travel to face top competition, (2) sending individuals to freestyle wrestling events, including the University Nationals Fila Junior Nationals and (3) giving athletes additional opportunities for elite training.

Other initiatives of Friends of Maryland Wrestling are to: (1) raise money for special projects and services for the wrestling program not provided for in the annual athletic department budget; (2) sponsor and conduct activities which foster a positive family atmosphere and spirit; and (3) ensure good communication and exchange of information between the coaching staff and its core group of supporters. All funds earned through Friends of Maryland Wrestling are managed by the University of Maryland College Park Foundation, Inc., for the benefit of Maryland Wrestling.

Our success is directly related to your support.

Please contact the Maryland Wrestling coaching staff at 301-314-6677 for information on how you can become a Friend of Maryland Wrestling. Together, we are returning Maryland wrestling to national prominence and causing all of our oppoonents to Fear the Turtle.

FEAR THE TURTLE... WRESTLING FULLY FUNDED

The Fear the Turtle campaign was launched in the Fall of 2003 with the goal of raising $1.2 million to annually fund scholarships for the eight men's teams at the University of Maryland that historically have not had the maximum number of scholarship allowed by the NCAA.

Maryland Athletics and the wrestling coaching staff would like to extend their sincere appreciation to all letter winners and friends of the program who have contributed to the Fear the Turtle campaign. Your generosity has provided Maryland Wrestling with 5.9 additional scholarships, bringing our total to 9.9 full scholarships! We are now a fully funded program.

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HALF SCHOLARSHIP GIFTS

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Mr. Petch Gibbons
Mr. and Mrs. Andy Gribschaw

QUARTER SCHOLARSHIP GIFTS

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HEAD COACH PAT SANTORO

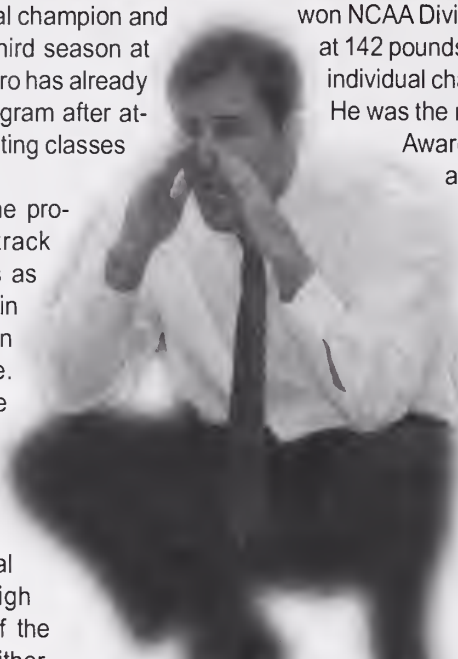
THIRD SEASON AT MARYLAND • PITT, 1992
* 2003 NATIONAL ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR

Pat Santoro, a two-time NCAA national champion and four-time All-American, returns for his third season at the helm of the Maryland program. Santoro has already created a buzz around the Terrapin program after attracting a pair of nationally-ranked recruiting classes in his two seasons in College Park.

Top-notch recruits are attracted to the program because of Santoro's proven track record of success. In his nine seasons as an assistant coach at Lehigh University in Bethlehem, Pa., he helped the Mountain Hawks ascend on the national scene. In 2003, Santoro's last season with the program, Lehigh finished fourth in the team standings at the 2003 NCAA Division I Wrestling Championships and Santoro was named the national Assistant Coach of the Year by the National Wrestling Coaches Association. Lehigh had national top-10 finishes in three of the his last four seasons and has finished either first or second in the Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association seven times in the last eight years, including four team championships. Santoro has also served as an assistant coach at Duquesne (1993-94) and Penn State (1991-93).

In his first season in College Park, the Terps were 4-9 in dual meet action. At the ACC Tournament, though, Maryland's Jason Kiessling (157) and Barry Stein (HWT) advanced to the finals and were named to the ACC All-Tournament team. In his next season he helped mentor Charlie Pinto to the ACC title at 141 pounds and a berth in the NCAA Tournament. In addition, Maryland earned the ACC Sportsmanship Award and the team compiled a GPA of 3.0498 ranking 12th-best in the country.

Santoro brings to Maryland credentials that include national success as both a coach and as a student-athlete. Santoro was an All-American wrestler at the University of Pittsburgh, earning that status each season from 1986 through 1989. He won NCAA Division I individual national championships at 142 pounds in 1988 and 1989, and was a three-time individual champion in the Eastern Wrestling League. He was the recipient of Pittsburgh's Golden Panther Award in 1989, recognizing the outstanding athlete of the year.



"Right now we're building," Santoro said after the 2004-05 season. "We have a good recruiting class coming in and we're excited. We're fully funded now and we're starting to attract kids."

Following his success as a collegiate wrestler, Santoro went on to a stellar international career, being ranked among the nation's top wrestlers for more than a decade. He was a member of the U.S. National Team in 1995, 1996, 1998 and 1999, serving as an alternate for the 1996 Olympic Team and the 1999 World Team. He placed fourth at the 2000 U.S. Olympic Trials, third at the 1992 Trials and was runner-up at the U.S. Open Freestyle competition in 1992.

Santoro graduated with a bachelor's degree in psychology from Pittsburgh in 1992. While there he was a two-time team captain and a member of Athletes in Action and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He is a member of the EWL and District XI Wrestling halls of fame.

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT PAT SANTORO

"Santoro has the resume to prove that he is the man to lead Maryland's wrestling program to national prominence. Before coming to Maryland, Santoro was the assistant coach at perennial power Lehigh for nine seasons, where he was honored as the national Assistant Coach of the Year in 2003. As a competitor, his credentials are equally as impressive." – Andrew Hipps, The Wrestling Mall

"He's really become a very good coach -- in all departments. He's always been a good teacher. I could see Pat being in the top 20 real soon." – Greg Strobel, Lehigh head coach

ASSISTANT COACH TODD BECKERMAN

1ST SEASON AT MARYLAND • NEBRASKA, 2001

Former Nebraska All-American Todd Beckerman is in his first season on the Maryland Terrapin staff. A native of Crofton, Md., Beckerman spent the last two seasons as an assistant coach at the Naval Academy.

Last season at Navy, the team posted its best dual record since 1993 and had a school-record eight wrestlers post 25-win seasons.

A four-year letterwinner and two-time All-America at Nebraska, Beckerman came to Navy from Lincoln, Neb., where he spent the 2002-03 season as a volunteer assistant coach for the Huskers. Beckerman coached primarily the lower weight classes and helped coordinate and assist in the Husker recruiting efforts.

Prior to returning to his alma mater, Beckerman worked during the 2001-02 season as an administrative assistant in the Penn State wrestling office, where he worked one-on-one with student-athletes and played a large role in directing summer camps. Beckerman also implemented the Todd Beckerman All-American Wrestling Camp, which was held for six-straight summers at Nebraska beginning in 1997.

At the 2000 and 2001 NCAA Championships, Beckerman wrestled to All-America status as well as Academic All-Big 12 honors in both seasons. He was the 2000-01 Nebraska Male Athlete of the Year, as well as the Husker Power Lifter of the Year. The 2000-01 team captain also competed internationally in 1999 and 2000 as a member of the Big 12 All-Star Wrestling Team.

Beckerman graduated in 2001 with a degree in human resources and family sciences.

ASSISTANT COACH BRAD DILLON

2ND SEASON AT MARYLAND • LEHIGH, 2004

Brad Dillon, an All-American on the mat and in the classroom at Lehigh, begins his second season as an assistant coach University of Maryland. Dillon wrestled and flourished under head coach Pat Santoro's direction while at Lehigh.

In his first season with the Terps, Dillon was involved in helping land a nationally ranked recruiting class and helping Charlie Pinto to the ACC title at 141 pounds.

A four-year starter for the Mountain Hawks, Dillon finished fourth at the NCAA Tournament as a senior and fifth as a junior at 174 pounds to earn All-America honors. In addition, he was a two-time team captain and captured a pair Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association (EIWA) titles. He finished his career with over 100 victories and set school records for career dual meet victories (67), season dual meet victories (24) and most takedowns in a season (145).

Off the mat, Dillon was named an Academic All-American and was a recipient of the Lehigh University Scholar Athlete Award as a senior.

"I am excited for the opportunity to work with Pat," Dillon commented when he was hired. "He was instrumental in my accomplishments and I am familiar with his coaching system and philosophies. I am very confident in my ability to help the student-athletes at Maryland become better wrestlers and well-balanced individuals."

"Brad brings a lot to our program," Santoro said. "He has always been an excellent technician and a very hard worker. He also relates very well to the guys. He's very versatile because he can work with anyone on the team. He spends a lot of the morning in the wrestling room working with anyone from 125 to 197. He has been a great asset."

JASON NAGLE

VOLUNTEER ASSISTANT • 2ND SEASON PENNSYLVANIA, 2000

Jason Nagle enters his second year at the University of Maryland as a volunteer assistant coach.

A native Marylander, Nagle attended Centennial High School in Ellicott City where he was a state finalist. In college, Nagle was a four-year starter, wrestling at Penn State University before transferring to the University of Pennsylvania. At Penn, he advanced to the finals of the EIWA tournament two times, winning the tournament once.

After graduating in 2000 with a degree in Biology, Nagle worked as an equity and index options trader before returning to the classroom in the fall of 2004. He is currently a first year student at the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy.

KEVIN KEARNS

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT • 29TH SEASON MARYLAND, 1975

Former Terrapin letterwinner Kevin Kearns enters his 29th season on the Maryland staff, his second as an administrative assistant after spending 27 years as an assistant coach. In 1970, while a captain of the wrestling team, Kearns was drafted into the United States Army. He served with the 101st Airborne Division in a Recon Team in Vietnam in 1971 and 1972.

Upon his completion of military duty, Kearns returned to the Maryland wrestling program in 1972-73 and assisted Coach McHugh and the team. Wrestling during this time for the Baltimore Central YMCA, Kearns won the national YMCA Greco championship, the prestigious New York Athletic Club Greco championship and two South Atlantic AAU freestyle championships.

After receiving his degree, he moved to Minnesota to train and wrestle for the United States Greco Roman team. Returning to Maryland in 1976, Kearns was named head coach at Dulaney High School in Timonium, Md. In 1977, he was selected to take the head coaching position at Johns Hopkins University, but returned to Maryland in 1980, where he has served as an assistant coach for 27 years before moving to an administrative position in 2004.

2005-06 SEASON OUTLOOK

Each season the Maryland Terrapins continue to pour more talent into the program, and the 2005-06 season is no different. Some of the members of Pat Santoro's back-to-back nationally ranked recruiting classes will start to make their way into the lineup, and the veterans that have been with the program have continued to improve under Santoro. The Terps still have a young team that will have to adjust to the highs and lows of a full season (just five seniors are listed on the roster), but will be a competitive and hungry group looking to prove itself.

"The success of the team is going to depend on some of the new faces and how well they can step up," Santoro says. "We also have some key sophomores and juniors, and if they can wrestle like they're capable of wrestling, we should improve our results from a year ago."

One of the motivational sources for the team was the success of Charlie Pinto last season. Pinto started last season third on the depth chart, but worked his way to an ACC championship and a berth in the NCAA Tournament.

"I think everyone saw his work ethic last year and realized that here's a guy that came in and worked himself to get into the position to be an ACC champion," Santoro says. "He didn't come here as a guy with national accolades that was supposed to win, he made himself into that. It's important that he's returning, too, because a lot of times your top guy is a senior and he still has two more seasons."

Heading into the season, very few weight classes have clear-cut favorites. The Terps will use early season practices, wrestle-offs and tournaments to formulate a regular lineup for when they get into the meat of their dual schedule beginning in January. Maryland will face elite competition throughout the year at large tournaments and with duals against perennial powers. This scheduling represents Santoro's philosophy of preparing his team to peak at the end of the season to compete for championships. Now that the program is fully funded, there has never been a better time to pursue those goals.

Here's a weight-by-weight breakdown for 2005-06:

125 – Last season, Kevin Vinh saw most of the action at 125, with Jeff Oldham also competing at that weight. The two will again be battling for that position this year as Oldham has come off a strong summer. Oldham went 10-10 a season ago (wrestling up at 133 at times), while Vinh went 9-13, including a 4-7 record in duals.

"It's going to be a battle back-and-forth between those guys," Santoro says. Freshman James Knox, a high school state champion out of Dulaney High in Baltimore, will also compete for time.

133 – Sean Carr was Maryland's regular starter a season ago and returns for his sophomore season bringing more experience to the mat. Ryan Brown, a third year sophomore, won the wrestle-off last season against Carr but missed the season with a knee injury and will again push for that spot.

A pair of freshmen, Brendan Byrne and Stephen Bell could also compete for the starting spot at 133, but may also redshirt the season. The decision on their eligibility will likely come after the wrestle-offs in Novemeber.

141 – The front-runner for the weight class is obviously Charlie Pinto, who last year became the first Terps to win an ACC title since 2002. One of the team's two captains for this season, the junior steadily improved throughout the season, closing the year winning nine of his last 11 matches and posting a 26-11 record.

However, Pinto will be pushed by Jason Gribschaw who is fully recovered from a back injury that kept him out of competition last season. Gribschaw was the starter two seasons ago and won 17 matches while in the lineup.

"We have quality people at this weight, and Charlie will have a tough wrestle-off," Santoro says. "We also have freshmen Alex Krom and Steve Mineo, but they will probably redshirt this year."

149 – Andrew Schlaffer is the early favorite to be the starter at this weight. Schlaffer moved up to 149 at the end of last season but has now put the weight on to more adequately compete at the weight class. A good athlete, Schlaffer wrestles at a high pace and works well on his feet to generate offense.

"He's talented, and he's done a great job to work himself into a 149-pounder," Santoro says. "When he figures things out, he could have a break-out season."

Redshirt freshman Kyle Harger is also in the mix at 149. Harger is a dangerous wrestler who is good on top, which could give Schlaffer problems in the wrestle-off.

157 – The team's deepest weight class features several talented wrestlers who could be the Terp starter. Jerad Villecco, one of the two team captains, is the early front-runner, but senior Adam James will push for the starting spot by the time the second semester rolls around. Carlo Mercadante, who transferred back to Maryland this fall, is also in the running to be the starter. Spencer Hollerith redshirted last season gives people trouble with his size and style. Freshmen Mike McGill and Mason Krumholtz were high school state champions could also be in the mix if they decide not to redshirt.

"This is our deepest weight, and I really don't know who the best guy is," Santoro says. "We have the early tournaments where we can send a couple of guys in each weight, and we'll see how they do against other competition and it will sort itself out that way."

165 – Heading into the season, this weight is up for grabs between three athletes: Adam DeCosmo, Eli Black and Ryan Kennett. DeCosmo, a local product, had a strong summer of training and which has put him in a position to challenge Black for the position. Kennett redshirted last season and is also a candidate to be the starter.

174 – Luke Stauffer is the returning starter after winning seven matches as a sophomore, but Rob Parker has moved up from 165 to challenge him for the spot. Other challengers will be Mike Maceroli, who filled a valuable role for the team competing at several weight classes last season, and transfer Dominic Buckman, who comes to Maryland after spending two seasons at Appalachian State.

"It's another weight where any one of the guys could step up and take that spot," Santoro says.

184 – Unlike the previous weight classes, redshirt freshman Josh Haines has distinguished himself as the front-runner at this weight. The highly touted wrestler won 26 matches during his redshirt season a year ago and placed in every tournament in which he competed.

"He had a really good redshirt year and he made the most of it," Santoro says of Haines. "He's more of a complete wrestler. When he came in he was a strong guy who won a lot in high school. He's picked up a lot of things working with [assistant coach] Brad [Dillon] to complement his style. He has the whole package, it's just a matter of him going out there and having fun and wrestling like he knows how to wrestler."

Haines will be backed up by senior Adam Beytin.

197 – Junior Jerry Afari battled a knee injury over the past year and a half but is now completely healthy and could have a break-out year.

"Jerry wrestled well at the end of last year, he just needs more mat time," Santoro says. "He's strong and in good shape, and the more he's on the mat the better he's going to be."

Yony Noy will push Afari for the starting spot. Noy was Maryland's utility wrestler a season ago, competing anywhere from 174 through heavyweight. Hudson Taylor, one of the nation's best incoming recruits, will redshirt the season to gain more experience.

HWT – A problem spot for the Terps last year, Maryland has brought in freshman Bryan Reiss to man the spot this year. A 270-pound heavyweight, Reiss combines hard work with good athleticism and will be a tough competitor for the Terps at this weight class.

ROSTER INFORMATION

ALPHABETICAL

Name	Wt.	Class	Hometown/HS
Jerry Afari	197	Jr.	Columbia, Pa./Columbia
Stephen Bell	133	Fr.	Connellsville, Pa./Connellsville
Keith Bernard	149	So.	Clifton Park, N.Y./Shenendehowa
Adam Beytin	184	Sr.	Reisterstown, Md./Owings Mills
Eli Black	165	R-Fr.	Mechanicsville, Md./Chopticon
Ryan Brown	133	So.	Baltimore, Md./Lansdowne
Dominic Buckman	174	Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla./N.B. Forrest
Brendan Byrne	133	Fr.	Cape May, N.J./Blair Academy
Sean Carr	133	So.	Whitehall, Pa./Whitehall
Adam DeCosmo	165	Sr.	Baltimore, Md./Old Mill
Jason Gribschaw	141	Sr.	Horsham, Pa./Hatboro-Horsham
Eric Grida	157	Fr.	Hellertown, Pa./Saucon Valley
Josh Haines	184	R-Fr.	Walnutport, Pa./Northampton
Kyle Harger	149	R-Fr.	Loveland, Ohio/Brooks School
Spencer Hollerith	157	R-Fr.	Montville, N.J./Montville
Adam James	157	Sr.	Silver Spring, Md./Paint Branch
Chad Jeronimo	141	R-Fr.	Bethesda, Md./Bethesda-Chevy Chase
Ryan Kennett	165	R-Fr.	West Chester, Pa./The Haverford School
Jason Kiessling	165	Sr.	La Plata,Md./McDonogh School
James Knox	125	Fr.	Baltimore, Md./Dulaney
Alex Krom	141	Fr.	Easton, Pa./Easton
Mason Krumholtz	157	Fr.	Baltimore, Md./Kenwood
Mike Maceroli	174	Jr.	Chatham, N.J./Chatham
Mike McGill	157	Fr.	Hagerstown, Md./Williamsport
Carlo Mercandante	157	So.	Wilkes-Barre, Pa./Elmer L. Meyers
Steve Mineo	141	Fr.	Scotch Plains, N.J./Scotch Plains Fanwood
Mike Moor	125	So.	Seaford, N.Y./Seaford
Yony Noy	184/197	So.	Fair Lawn, N.J./Fair Lawn
Jeff Oldham	125	So.	Bethel, Conn./Bethel
Rob Parker	174	So.	Northport, N.Y./Northport
Charlie Pinto	141	Jr.	Stockholm, N.J./Wallkill Valley Regional
Bryan Reiss	285	Fr.	Emmaus, Pa./Emmaus
Matt Rothstein	157	Jr.	Potomac, Md./Winston Churchill
Andrew Schlaffer	149	So.	Baltimore, Md./Dulaney
Luke Stauffer	174	Jr.	Mount Joy, Pa./Elizabethtown
Clint Stout	157	So.	Corsica, Pa./Commedore Perry
Hudson Taylor	197	Fr.	Pennington, N.J./Blair Academy
Kevin Vinh	125/133	So.	Allentown, Pa./Nazareth
Jerad Villecco	157	Jr.	Mickleton, N.J./Kingsway Regional

Head Coach: Pat Santoro (Pittsburgh, '92), 3rd Season
Assistant Coach: Todd Beckerman (Nebraska, 01), 1st Season
Assistant Coach: Brad Dillon (Lehigh, '04), 2nd Season

WEIGHT CLASS

Name	Wt.	Class	Hometown/HS
James Knox	125	Fr.	Baltimore, Md./Dulaney
Mike Moor	125	So.	Seaford, N.Y./Seaford
Jeff Oldham	125	So.	Bethel, Conn./Bethel
Kevin Vinh	125/133	So.	Allentown, Pa./Nazareth
Stephen Bell	133	Fr.	Connellsville, Pa./Connellsville
Ryan Brown	133	So.	Baltimore, Md./Lansdowne
Brendan Byrne	133	Fr.	Cape May, N.J./Blair Academy
Sean Carr	133	So.	Whitehall, Pa./Whitehall
Jason Gribschaw	141	Sr.	Horsham, Pa./Hatboro-Horsham
Chad Jeronimo	141	R-Fr.	Bethesda, Md./Bethesda-Chevy Chase
Alex Krom	141	Fr.	Easton, Pa./Easton
Steve Mineo	141	Fr.	Scotch Plains, N.J./Scotch Plains Fanwood
Charlie Pinto	141	Jr.	Stockholm, N.J./Wallkill Valley Regional
Keith Bernard	149	So.	Clifton Park, N.Y./Shenendehowa
Kyle Harger	149	R-Fr.	Loveland, Ohio/Brooks School
Andrew Schlaffer	149	So.	Baltimore, Md./Dulaney
Eric Grida	157	Fr.	Hellertown, Pa./Saucon Valley
Spencer Hollerith	157	R-Fr.	Montville, N.J./Montville
Adam James	157	Sr.	Silver Spring, Md./Paint Branch
Mason Krumholtz	157	Fr.	Baltimore, Md./Kenwood
Mike McGill	157	Fr.	Hagerstown, Md./Williamsport
Carlo Mercandante	157	So.	Wilkes-Barre, Pa./Elmer L. Meyers
Matt Rothstein	157	Jr.	Potomac, Md./Winston Churchill
Clint Stout	157	So.	Corsica, Pa./Commedore Perry
Jerad Villecco	157	Jr.	Mickleton, N.J./Kingsway Regional
Eli Black	165	R-Fr.	Mechanicsville, Md./Chopticon
Adam DeCosmo	165	Sr.	Baltimore, Md./Old Mill
Ryan Kennett	165	R-Fr.	West Chester, Pa./The HaverfordSchool
Jason Kiessling	165	Sr.	La Plata,Md./McDonogh School
Dominic Buckman	174	Jr.	Jacksonville, Fla./N.B. Forrest
Mike Maceroli	174	Jr.	Chatham, N.J./Chatham
Rob Parker	174	So.	Northport, N.Y./Northport
Luke Stauffer	174	Jr.	Mount Joy, Pa./Elizabethtown
Adam Beytin	184	Sr.	Reisterstown, Md./Owings Mills
Josh Haines	184	R-Fr.	Walnutport, Pa./Northampton
Yony Noy	184/197	So.	Fair Lawn, N.J./Fair Lawn
Jerry Afari	197	Jr.	Columbia, Pa./Columbia
Hudson Taylor	197	Fr.	Pennington, N.J./Blair Academy
Bryan Reiss	285	Fr.	Emmaus, Pa./Emmaus

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TERPS BY STATE

Connecticut (1): Jeff Oldham
Florida (1): Dominic Buckman
Maryland (12): Adam Beytin, Eli Black, Ryan Brown, Adam DeCosmo, Adam James, Chad Jeronimo, Jason Kiessling, James Knox, Mason Krumholtz, Mike McGill, Matt Rothstein, Andrew Schlaffer
New Jersey (8): Brendan Byrne, Spencer Hollerith, Mike Maceroli, Steve Mineo, Yony Noy, Charlie Pinto, Hudson Taylor, Jared Villecco
New York (3): Keith Bernard, Mike Moor, Rob Parker
Ohio (1): Kyle Harger
Pennsylvania (13): Jerry Afari, Stephen Bell, Sean Carr, Jason Gribschaw, Eric Grida, Josh Haines, Ryan Kennett, Alex Krom, Carlo Mercandante, Bryan Reiss, Luke Stauffer, Clint Stout, Kevin Vinh

TERPS BY ELIGIBILITY

Seniors (5): Adam Beytin, Adam DeCosmo, Jason Gribschaw, Adam James, Jason Kiessling
Juniors (7): Jerry Afari, Dominic Buckman, Mike Maceroli, Charlie Pinto, Matt Rothstein, Luke Stauffer, Jared Villecco
Sophomores (11): Keith Bernard, Ryan Brown, Sean Carr, Carlo Mercandante, Mike Moor, Yony Noy, Jeff Oldham, Rob Parker, Andrew Schlaffer, Clint Stout, Kevin Vinh
Redshirt Freshmen (6): Eli Black, Josh Haines, Kyle Harger, Spencer Hollerith, Chad Jeronimo, Ryan Kennett
Freshmen (11): Stephen Bell, Brendan Byrne, Eric Grida, James Knox, Alex Krom, Mason Krumholtz, Mike McGill, Steve Mineo, Bryan Reiss, Hudson Taylor

MEET THE TERRAPINS

RETURNING WRESTLER BIOS

JERRY AFARI
197 LBS. • JUNIOR
COLUMBIA, PA.
COLUMBIA HS

As a Sophomore (2004-05): Battled injuries throughout the season ... went 7-11 on the year ... 3-4 in duals, including 1-0 in the ACC ... finished fourth at the ACC Tournament ... first win of the season came against Mike Hillman of Lock Haven at the Mat Town Invitational (11/27/04) ... picked up a pair of wins in first dual action of the season, including a pin of Darren Cooper from Utah Valley State (1/2/05) ... went 2-2 at the ACC Tournament (3/5/05) to finish fourth.

As a Freshman (2003-04): Consistent starter for the Terps at 197 ... posted a 10-19 record, including a 5-8 mark in duals ... picked up important bonus points with a major decision over Harry Zander in Maryland's 20-19 win over George Mason (2/21/04) ... major decision over Old Dominion's Rob Velentine (2/14/04) ... notched a dual victory over Adam Montgomery (12-5), in the team's victory over American (1/28/04) ... came up with a huge fall over Slippery Rock's Shawn Adams to help keep the Maryland rally going in a dual it would eventually win by just two points (1/10/04) ... also earned a 10-7 decision against Duquesne ... sixth-place finish at Hitchcock Classic (1/4/04) ... pinned Sacred Heart's Mike Ames in 1:20 at the Penn State Open (12/7/03) ... recorded the first fall of his career by pinning Virginia's Scott Smith in 2:46 at the Body Bar Classic (11/22/03).

Before Maryland: Set a school record with 117 takedowns at Columbia High School in 2002 ... finished with a record of 39-1 his senior year ... state runner-up at the 215 weight class with 33 pins ... NHCA National duals second team All-American in 2002 ... had a career-record of 105-16 as a three-year letterwinner ... third team All-State for football as a linebacker in 2003 ... lettered in football three years, and was a defensive captain for two ... also lettered in track three years.

Personal: Jerry F. Afari ... son of Paulyne and Seth Afari ... born Feb., 18, 1985 ... two brothers, Humphrey and Donald ... one sister, Gennifer ... chose Maryland for its academics and an up-and-coming wrestling program ... letters and sciences major.

AFARI'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2004	10-19	5-8	3	0	3
2005	7-11	3-4	2	0	0
Totals	**17-30**	**8-12**	**5**	**0**	**3**

KEITH BERNARD
149 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
CLIFTON PARK, N.Y.
SHENENDEHOWA HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Reserve wrestler who gained experience in open tournaments ... went 1-6, picking up a victory at the Edinboro Open (2/19/05).

Before Maryland: Fifth-place finish at the New York State Championships as a senior at Shenendehowa High ... posted a 40-4 record that year ... three-time Class A champion ... two-time section II champ ... team captain as a junior and senior ... four-time All-Suburban Council ... posted a career record of 130-30 ... NYS scholar athlete four times.

Personal: Keith Joseph Bernard ... son of Dean and Lorraine Bernard ... born Sept. 16, 1985 ... one of three children with older brother Kyle and younger sister Lindsey ... enjoys outdoor activities in his free time ... selected Maryland over American, James Madison and Brown ... maintained a 4.0 GPA in high school ... a markets and society major.

BERNARD'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	1-6	0-0	0	0	0

ADAM BEYTIN
184 LBS. • SENIOR
REISTERSTOWN, MD.
OWINGS MILLS HS

As a Junior (2004-05): Went 2-2 on the year, including a 2-1 mark at 174 pounds (0-1 at 184) ... did not see action in dual competition.

As a Sophomore (2003-04): Went 1-5 while wrestling at 165 ... picked up his win at the East Stroudsburg Open ... defeated Kenny Williams 6-1 ... did not see action in dual competition.

As a Redshirt Freshman (2002-03): Finished the season with a record of 1-7 ... competed in four tournaments ... pinned Matt Horton in 4:47 during the East Stroudsburg Open ... wrestled in the 157 weight class.

As a Freshman: Competed in three tournaments ... lost two matches in both the West Virginia Open and the Wilkes Open ... lost closest match of the season in his one loss at the Penn State Open to Pennsylvania's Chris Wright 7-5.

Before Maryland: Two-time state qualifier ... named MVP of wrestling team senior year ... captain of football and wrestling team senior year ... named unsung hero of wrestling team junior year ... finished senior season 35-9 with 18 pins ... was valedictorian of his high school.

Personal: Adam Evan Beytin ... son of Mark and Abby Beytin ... born Nov. 8, 1982 ... two brothers, Aaron and Noah ... named Baltimore County Male Scholar Athlete of the Year in 2001 ... chose Maryland over Johns Hopkins, Franklin & Marshall and Swarthmore ... member of the Gemstone program ... majoring in computer engineering with minors in Japanese and piano performance.

BEYTIN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2003	1-7	0-0	1	0	0
2004	1-5	0-0	1	0	0
2005	2-2	0-0	1	0	0
Totals	**4-14**	**0-0**	**3**	**0**	**0**

ELI BLACK
165 LBS. • R-FRESHMAN
MECHANICSVILLE, MD.
CHOPTICON HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Redshirted the season ... went 1-3 in open competition.

Before Maryland: Two-time state champion at Choptcon High ... compiled a career record of 144-7, including back-to-back undefeated seasons as a junior (37-0) and senior (40-0) ... set the school record for wins in a career and wins as a senior ... was the team's MVP all four years ... helped team to the state title as a senior two-time 2003-04 Washington Post All-Met ... NHSCA All-American with a fourth place finish in 2003 ... four-time region champ and all-county selection ... set Southern Maryland Athletic Conference record for career wins.

Personal: Elijah Paul Black ... born April 9, 1986 ... son of Donna and Robert ... one of three boys, with older brother Garret and younger brother Lucas ... lists Cael Sanderson as someone he admires ... chose Maryland over Edinboro, Penn State, Duquesne and Millersville ... undecided major.

RYAN BROWN
133 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
BALTIMORE, MD.
LANSDOWNE HS

As a Redshirt Freshman (2004-05): Posted a 2-3 record on the year ... won twice at the Body Bar Invitational (11/20/04).

As a Freshman (2003-04): Redshirted in 2003-04 ... went 3-4 in open competition, going 2-2 at 125 and 1-2 at 133.

Before Maryland: Career record of 123-25 as a four-year letterwinner for Lansdowne High School ... finished third in the state twice and earned all-county honors ... also earned first team all-division honors as a cornerback for the football team which he lettered on for two years ... first team all-division and all-county as a second baseman on the baseball team which he lettered on for two years.

Personal: Ryan Anthony Brown ... son of Mike and Theresa Brown ... born June 10, 1985 ... one brother, Michael Jr. ... chose Maryland because of the beautiful campus, its closeness to home and the coaching staff ... lists his father as the person he most admires ... majoring in mathematics.

BROWN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	2-3	0-0	0	0	0

SEAN CARR
133 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
WHITEHALL, PA.
WHITEHALL HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Was a regular starter for Maryland at 133 pounds ... posted an 8-22 mark and went 5-11 in duals ... earned one fall and one major decision ... finished third at the Central Jersey Open (11/14/04) ... picked up a major decision in a victory at the Body Bar Invitational (11/20/04) ... earned first dual win of his career against Ryan Jablonski of Rutgers (12/11/04) ... notched a pair of dual victories to help the Terps to wins over Southern Illinois-Edwardsville (1/2/05) and Utah Valley State (1/2/05) ... won in dramatic fashion over Keith Pavelekovsky of Duquesne (1/29/05), taking a 9-7 overtime decision.

Before Maryland: Four-year letterwinner at Whitehall High for coach Tim Cunningham ... competed in the Lehigh Valley Conference ... two-time team captain ... qualified for the state meet as a senior ... four-time district placewinner, including a runner-up finish as a senior ... three-time Northeast regional qualifier ... participated in the Easton Lions Classic All-Star match.

Personal: Full name is Sean Garrett Carr ... born March 25, 1986 ... son of Judy and Barrie Carr ... one of two children, with older sister Shannon ... selected Maryland because of the coaching staff and the academic reputation ... graduated high school with a 4.0 GPA ... majoring in biology.

CARR'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	8-22	5-11	1	0	1

ADAM DECOSMO
165 LBS. • SENIOR
GLEN BURNIE, MD.
OLD MILL HS

As a Junior (2004-05): Posted a 7-6 record, all coming in tournaments ... finished sixth at the Penn State Open (12/5/04) ... also recorded a sixth place finish at the Edinboro Open (2/19/05).

Before Maryland: Transfer from Tennessee-Chattanooga ... was a two-time state champion and a three-time finalist at Old Mill High under coach Vern Hines ... was undefeated as a senior (38-0) ... two-time Baltimore Sun and Washington Post All-Met selection ... three-time county champion ... Old Mill went 71-2 during his four seasons.

Personal: Adam Kirk DeCosmo ... born April 20, 1983 ... son of Donna and Rich Crozier ... one of three children, with older brothers Eric and Ben ... majoring in criminal justice.

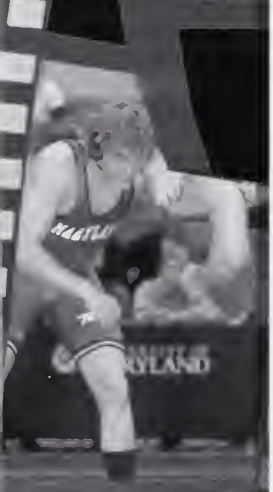
DECOSMO'S CAREER STATISTICS (AT MARYLAND)

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	7-6	0-0	0	0	0

JASON GRIBSCHAW
141 LBS. • SENIOR
HORSHAM, PA.
HATBORO-HORSHAM HS

As a Junior (2004-05): Sidelined by injury for most of the season ... saw his only action of the season at the Southern Scuffle (12/28/04), losing a pair of matches.

As a Sophomore (2003-04): Second on the team with 17 wins ... earned first career major decision with a 14-5 win over Old Dominion's Mike Davis (2/14/04) ... picked up an ACC win over Duke's Daniel Schvartsman in overtime (2/7/04) ... 6-2 decision over Daniel Lobsenz in a decisive win over American (1/28/04) ... helped give Maryland the early lead against North Carolina (1/23/04) with a tough 8-6 win over Travis Sickle ... fifth place finish with a 5-2 decision over Terry McKim at the Hitchcock Classic (1/4/04) ... finished fifth at the Penn State Open (12/7/03).



As a Redshirt Freshman (2002-03): Compiled a record of 5-7 on the year ... finished in fourth place at the Hitchcock Memorial Classic ... had two pins on the season with the fastest one coming against Brandon Ayres of Duke in 0:34 ... finished with a record of 1-2 in dual matches ... wrestled in the 133 weight class.

As a Freshman (2001-02): Finished with a final record of 5-6 ... won the opening match of all three tournaments he entered ... defeated American's Victor Acquaah-Harrison by a score of 16-1 in the West Virginia Open for his largest margin of victory on the season.

Before Maryland: PIAA Sectional Champion at Hatboro-Horsham High School ... national qualifier ... state qualifier ... member of Pa. vs. N.J. All-Star Team ... second in Pennsylvania in Greco-Roman ... fourth in Pennsylvania in freestyle ... member of USA vs. South Africa and USA vs. Canada teams ... also lettered four years in cross country.

Personal: Jason S. Gribschaw ... son of Andy and Bonnie Gribschaw ... born Sept. 7, 1982 ... one brother, Robert ... chose Maryland over Bloomsburg, East Stroudsburg, Lock Haven, Penn State and Ursinus ... majoring in physical education.

GRIBSCHAW'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2003	5-7	1-2	2	0	0
2004	17-16	5-7	2	0	1
2005	0-2	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	**22-25**	**6-9**	**4**	**0**	**1**

JOSH HAINES
184 LBS. • R-FRESHMAN
WALNUT PORT, PA.
NORTHAMPTON HS

As a Freshman: Redshirted season to gain more experience ... extremely impressive in open competition, compiling a 26-4 record at 184 pounds... finished second at the East Stroudsburg Open (11/20/04) ... took third place at the Penn State Open (12/5/04) ... took second place at the Edinboro Open (2/19/05), losing only to nationally ranked Alex Clemsen of Edinboro.

Before Maryland: One of the nation's top recruits out of Northampton High ... two-time state champion ... lost just two matches over his final two seasons ... three-time district champion ... three-time team captain ... set school record with 156 wins ... also broke the 19-year old District II record for career wins ... represented Pennsylvania at the Dapper Dan Classic.

Personal: Full name is Joshua Michael Haines ... born May 17, 1985 ... son of Vicky and Ed Haines ... has one sister, Angela ... lists restoring cars as one of his hobbies ... cites his parents as his biggest influence ... selected Maryland over Virginia, Pitt, Nebraska, Penn State and NC State, among others ... undecided major.

KYLE HARGER
149 LBS. • R-FRESHMAN
NORTH ANDOVER, MAINE
BROOKS SCHOOL

As a Freshman (2004-05): Redshirted the season .. posted an 11-7 record including four falls ... wrestled at 149 pounds.

Before Maryland: Four-time league and New England champion at Brooks School under coach Alex Konovalchik ... three-time prep All-American ... posted a 155-8 record in high school, with his losses coming at the national level ... three-time Boston Globe All-Scholastic selection ... Globe Wrestler of the Year as a senior ... three-time AAU national champion (Greco and folkstyle), runner-up in freestyle ... earned the most team points and had the team's fastest pin three of his four seasons.

Personal: Kyle Harger is the son of Jodi and Michael ... born February 10, 1986 ... has one younger brother, Pierce ... enjoys outdoor activities and writing ... lists winning AAU nationals as his biggest athletic thrill ... worked with the Boys Club in high school ... chose Maryland over Pitt, Columbia, American and Boston ... majoring in business.

SPENCER HOLLERITH
157 LBS. • R-FRESHMAN
MONTVILLE, N.J.
MONTVILLE HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Redshirted the season .. went 3-6 in open competition, picking up one major decision.

Before Maryland: Two-time county finalist at Montville High under coach John Krip ... as a senior, went 25-6 and was the team captain and team MVP ... two-time all-area, county and conference selection ... team MVP as a junior after posting a 27-5 record ... runner-up at Cadet Freestyle state championships ... second at Junior Greco state tournament ... fifth at AAU Freestyle Nationals member of the New Jersey team at Freestyle Nationals.

Personal: Spencer Talcott Hollerith ... son of Jeanne and Richard Hollerith ... born Feb. 8, 1986 ... oldest of two children, with brother Jamie ... National Merit Scholar in high school ... lists John Smith as his favorite athlete due to his international dominance ... chose Maryland over Princeton ... undecided major.

ADAM JAMES
157 LBS. • SENIOR
SILVER SPRING, MD.
PAINT BRANCH HS

As a Redshirt Junior (2004-05): Was in and out of the lineup while battling injuries ... posted a 13-11 record with four wins coming by major decision ... was 6-4 in duals, including a 2-1 mark in ACC action ... finished second at the Central Jersey Open (11/14/04) ... earned a major decision in a dual against Rutgers (12/11/04) ... picked up two wins – including one by fall – in Terp wins over SIU-Edwardsville (1/2/05) and Utah Valley State (1/2/05) ... tallied a fall in an ACC victory over Duke's Adam Lesser (1/8/05) ... also knocked off North Carolina's Kyle Shelton 7-6 (1/8/05) ... finished fourth at the ACC Tournament (3/5/05).

As a Junior (2003-04): Redshirted the 2003-04 season ... went 10-3 in open competition ... finished fifth at the Penn State Open (12/7/03).

As a Sophomore (2002-03): Named to the 2003 All-ACC team ... compiled a record of 15-13 on the year ... had three pins on the year with the quickest coming against French Pope of McDaniel in 5:34 ... finished with a record of 8-6 in dual matches ... won three consecutive dual meets against American, Old Dominion and Virginia ... defeated Paul Bjorlo of Virginia 6-3 in the first round of the ACC tournament ... won all three of his matches at the Virginia duals ... won the first match in each of the tournaments he wrestled in ... wrestled in the 149 weight class.

As a Freshman (2001-02): Finished with a 22-21 record ... wrestled in 13 dual meets, compiling a record of 5-8 ... finished 5-7 against ACC wrestlers ... won 10 of the first 14 matches on the season in the West Virginia Open and the East Stroudsburg Open ... won first two matches in each of the tournaments he entered ... won three consecutive dual meets against Howard, Duke and Old Dominion ... recorded four pins on the season, the fastest coming against Mike Catullo of West Virginia at the West Virginia Open.

Before Maryland: State champion as a senior at Paint Branch High School, compiling an undefeated 39-0 record ... won All-Star tournament championship ... named county MVP ... placed fifth in the state as a junior and fourth in the state as a sophomore ... earned 116 wins in high school career.

Personal: Adam W. James ... son of James Field and Evita James ... one brother, Alec ... born Jan. 13, 1983 ... also recruited by West Virginia, William and Mary, Pennsylvania ... majoring in psychology.

JAMES' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2002	22-21	5-8	4	0	3
2003	15-13	8-6	2	2	2
2004*	Redshirt				
2005	13-11	6-4	2	0	4
Totals	**50-48**	**19-18**	**8**	**2**	**9**

*Redshirt season

CHAD JERONIMO
141 LBS. • R-FRESHMAN
BETHESDA, MD.
BETHESDA-CHEVY CHASE HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Redshirted season to gain more experience ... went 3-2 in open competition at 141 pounds and 2-4 at 149 pounds.

Before Maryland: A three-time county champion at Bethesda-Chevy Chase High under coach Bob Bunting ... two-time regional champion and state finalist ... second team All-Met.

Personal: Chad Wright Jeronimo ... son of Lynda and John Jeronimo ... born Sept. 20, 1986 ... twin brother Eric is also on the Terrapin wrestling team ... also has one younger sister, Nina ... his father John, is the associate dean of architecture at the University of Maryland ... undecided major.

RYAN KENNETT
165 LBS. • R-FRESHMAN
WEST CHESTER, PA.
THE HAVERFORD SCHOOL

As a Freshman (2004-05): Redshirted the season ... went 3-2 at 157 pounds and 4-6 at 165 in open competition.

Before Maryland: Posted a 220-14 record in four years wrestling under his father, Bruce ... captained team to three state titles ... three-time prep state champion ... went 44-1 as a senior ... set the Pennsylvania record for career wins ... tallied a second and third place finish at prep nationals ... competed on two Junior Olympic teams.

Personal: Full name is Ryan Christopher Kennett ... son of Sheila and Bruce Kennett ... born October 26, 1985 ... youngest of four children, with older brothers Dan, Matt and Brett ... chose Maryland because of the coaching staff and the academics ... selected the Terps over North Carolina, Virginia, Boston and NC State ... majoring in business.

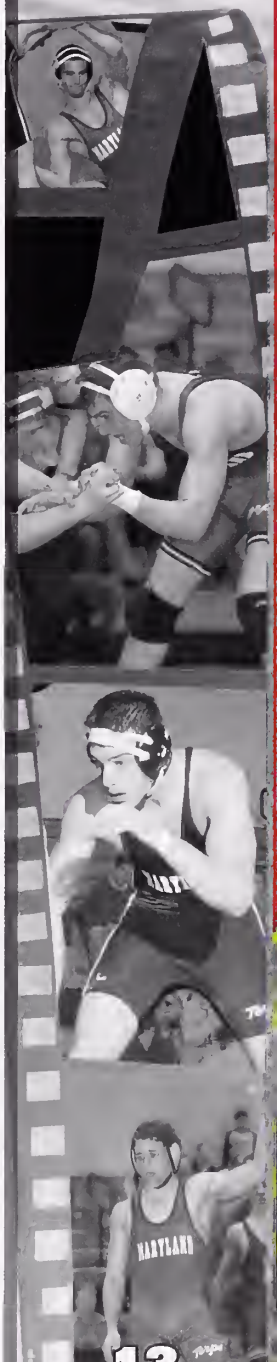
JASON KIESSLING
165 LBS. • SENIOR
LA PLATA, MD.
MCDONOGH SCHOOL

As a Junior (2004-05): Led the team in victories with 29 ... also was the team's leader in major decisions (7) ... placed in a team-best five tournaments ... posted a 29-13 record, including a 4-1 mark in the ACC ... won the Central Jersey Open (11/14/04) to open the season ... finished fourth at the Mat Town Invitational (11/27/04) ... lost opening match of the tournament, then rattled off five straight victories ... earned a second place finish at the Penn State Open (12/5/04) ... picked up dual victories over Rutgers (12/11/04) and Rider (12/11/04) ... notched impressive victories at the Southern Scuffle (12/28) en route to a third place finish ... knocked off nationally ranked Chris Stith of Virginia Tech at the tournament ... scored two major decisions in duals against SIU-Edwardsville (1/2/05) and Utah Valley State (1/2/05) ... earned another tough victory over Stith late in the season (1/23/05) ... closed regular season with back-to-back major decisions, recording one over Randy Oates of George Mason (2/18/05) and Jim Hartey of Virginia (2/19/05) ... dropped a heartbreaking 5-4 decision in overtime in the opening round of the ACC Tournament (3/5/05) ... bounced back, though, to finish fourth.

As a Sophomore (2003-04): Notched a 14-10 record at 157 pounds ... an All-ACC Tournament selection after finishing runner-up (3/6/04) ... helped the Terps pick up the dual victory over George Mason with a 8-2 win over Mitch Webster (2/21/04) ... picked up a decision against Ashton Buswell of UNC (1/23/04) ... titlist at Hitchcock Classic after going 3-0 (1/4/04) ... fifth-place finish at Body Bar Invitational (11/22/03).

As a Freshman (2002-03): Finished with an 18-13 record overall ... compiled an 8-5 record in dual matches ... won five dual matches in a row toward the end of the season ... won the first match in each of the three tournaments he participated in ... had three pins on the season with the quickest coming against Jake Beitz of Montclair in 3:44 ... wrestled in the 149 and 157 weight classes.

Before Maryland: High school career record of 124-8 ... three-year captain of the wrestling team ... All-Met wrestler of the year in 2002 ... fifth in high school senior nationals ... All-American ... three-time state finalist ... state champion as a senior ... three-time regional champion ... two-time team MVP ... lettered four years in wrestling and three in soccer.



Personal: Jason Brooks Kiessling ... son of Mark and Kathy Kiessling ... born Dec. 22, 1984 ... one brother, Joshua ... one sister, Janine ... chose Maryland over Old Dominion University and Appalachian State University because of the academics ... lists winning a state title and becoming a high school All-American as his biggest athletic thrill ... lists his dad as the person he most admires ... majoring in health.

KIESSLING'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2003	18-13	8-5	3	1	1
2004	14-10	2-4	1	0	4
2005	29-13	11-5	0	0	7
Totals	61-36	21-14	4	1	12

MICHAEL MACEROLI
174 LBS. • JUNIOR
CHATHAM, N.J.
CHATHAM HS

As a Sophomore (2004-05): Wrestled at three different weight classes to help fill gaps caused by injuries ... winless in 14 matches ... saw action in five dual meets ... competed for Maryland at the ACC Tournament (3/5/05) at 184 pounds.

Before Maryland: Transfer from Lehigh ... four-year letterwinner under coach John Alessio at Chatham High ... posted a career record of 70-24 ... two-time district runner-up ... regional champion and all-county selection as a senior ... two-time all-conference selection ... served as team captain as a senior ... selected as the team MVP as a junior and a senior.

Personal: Full name is Michael Anthony Maceroli ... son of Joanne and Anthony Maceroli ... born December 9, 1983 ... youngest of two children, with older sister Veronica Harrison ... chose Maryland to wrestle for Pat Santoro ... majoring in physiology and microbiology.

MACEROLI'S CAREER STATISTICS AT MARYLAND

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	0-14	0-5	0	0	0

MICHAEL MOOR
125 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
SEAFORD, NY.
SEAFORD HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Recorded a 2-5 record on the year at 125 pounds ... won a match at the WVU Open (11/7/04) and tallied a major decision at the East Stroudsburg Open (11/20/04).

Before Maryland: Three-time all-county wrestler at Seaford High under the direction of Sal Lostrappo ... also a three-time all-conference honoree ... went undefeated (40-0) in Nassau County as a senior ... posted a school record 103 career wins ... helped team to an unbeaten mark in the conference and the county title during his senior campaign ... was a member of the NWCA and NHSCA dual and tournament teams.

Personal: Michael Moor is the son of Donna and Michael Moor ... born May 26, 1986 ... one of two children, with younger sister Deanna ... member of the National Honor Society and co-editor of the yearbook in high school ... lists his parents as the people he admires the most because of the support and patience they have given him ... chose Maryland because he wanted to help be a part of the wrestling team's resurgence ... majoring in criminology.

MOOR'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	2-5	0-0	0	0	1

YONY NOY
184/197 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
FAIR LAWN, N.J.
FAIR LAWN HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Voted the team's Unsung Hero ... competed at well above his weight several times ... wrestled at 174, 197 and heavyweight ...went 6-18 on the year ... saw action in nine duals ... finished fifth at the Central Jersey Open (11/14/04) ... picked up first dual victory over Tim Frank of Duquesne (1/29/05), winning 2-1 in a tiebreaker at 197 pounds ... competed for Maryland at the ACC Tournament (3/5/05) as a heavyweight.

Before Maryland: Two-time district champion out of Fair Lawn High under the direction of coach Frank Guadagnino ... regional runner-up ... honorable mention all-state with a top 12 finish as a senior ... went 28-6 in his final campaign ... two-time first team all-league honoree ... second team all-county ... fastest pin is :13 seconds ... began wrestling his freshman year of high school.

Personal: Yony Noy is the son of Nina and Freddy Noy ... born December 31, 1986, in Tel Aviv, Israel ... youngest of four children ... was in the National Honor Society in high school ... chose Maryland because of the wrestling program and the business school ... majoring in business.

NOY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	6-18	1-8	2	0	0

JEFF OLDHAM
125 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
BETHEL, CONN.
BETHEL HS

As a Redshirt Freshman (2004-05): Split time as a starter at 125 with Kevin Vinh ... was 10-10 on the year, including a 4-2 mark in duals ... one major decision on the year ... defeated Dan Hilt of Rutgers, 4-3 (12/11/04) ... went 3-2 at the Southern Scuffle (12/28) ... won by major decision over Scott Audo of SIU-Edwardsville, 15-5 (1/2/05).

As a Freshman (2003-04): Redshirted in 2003-04 ... went 6-8 in open competition at 125 pounds.

Before Maryland: Lettered for four years on the Bethel High School wrestling team ... finished his career with a record of 130-12 ... conference champion four times ... state champion in 2002 ... finished fourth at the New England championships in 2003 ... earned all-state honors in 2001, 2002 and 2003.

Personal: Jeffrey David Oldham ... son of Steve and Joan Oldham ... born May 14, 1984 ... two brothers, Brian and Mike ... one sister, Jacki ... chose Maryland because it was a great place to be with good academics and quality wrestling ... lists his parents as the people he admires the most ... major is undecided.

OLDHAM'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	10-10	4-2	0	0	1

ROB PARKER
174 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
NORTHPORT, N.Y.
NORTHPORT HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Earned Kurt Callahan Meanest Guy Award ... wrestled at three weight classes ... recorded a 12-13 mark on the year ... tallied two falls and two major decisions ... saw action in seven duals ... finished third at the Central Jersey Open (11/14/04) ... also placed at the Penn State Open (12/5/04), finishing sixth ... went 3-2 at the Southern Scuffle (12/28/04) ... won 6-2 over VMI's Dustin McCabe wrestling at 174 (1/22/05) ... picked up another win while wrestling up, defeating Scott Fisher of UNC Greensboro, 3-2 (2/13/05).

Before Maryland: Two-sport star at Northport High ... two-time all-county wrestler ... state runner-up ... posted over 100 career wins ... three-time league champion ... member of the New York team at the Delaware Duals ... also an all-division football player at linebacker.

Personal: Rob Parker is the son of Doris and Rob Parker ... born Sept. 29, 1985 ... oldest of two children, with younger brother Nick ... majoring in business.

PARKER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	12-13	3-4	2	0	2

CHARLIE PINTO
141 LBS. • JUNIOR
STOCKHOLM, N.J.
WALLKILL VALLEY REGIONAL HS

As a Sophomore (2004-05): Improved throughout the season culminating in the ACC title and a NCAA Tournament berth at 141 pounds ... earned the John McHugh Award as the team's most valuable wrestler ... posted a record of 26-11, including a 10-3 mark in dual action ... won five matches by fall and six by major decision ... hot down the stretch winning 11 of 13 matches ... opened the season with a third place finish at the Body Bar Invitational (11/20/04) ... defeated Army's Patrick Simpson 5-3 in overtime in the consolation finals ... lost first match at the Penn State Open (12/5/04) then rattled off four straight wins to finish fourth ... notched huge victory over nationally ranked Nate Gulosh of Navy (1/13/05), winning 8-5 ... closed the regular season with eight straight wins, including four major decisions, two falls and one forfeit ... defeated Duke's Wes Kuser 8-1 in ACC semifinals (3/5/05) ... knocked off top-seeded Isaiah Britton of North Carolina 7-4 in the finals to take the title ... earned a tough first round draw in the NCAA Tournament (3/18/05) and fell to third-seeded Mark Churella of Michigan in the first round ... recorded a win Northern Iowa's C.J. Ettelson, 4-1, before being eliminated by Ron Tarquinio of Pitt.

As a Freshman (2003-04): Posted a 7-9 record at 141 pounds in his first season, including one dual victory ... five of his seven wins came with bonus points ... picked up his dual victory with a 5-3 win over Cody Midlam of Duquesne (1/10/04) ... finished third at the Hitchcock Classic (1/4/04).

Before Maryland: Four-year letterwinner for the Wallkill Valley Regional High School wrestling team ... all-area and All-West Jersey wrestler of the year in 2003 ... 2003 state runner-up ... MAWA select team national finalist ... two-time team captain and MVP ... three time all-area first team ... received recognition for his academic achievements as an athlete three times ... freestyle state champion ... qualified for districts three times, winning once ... placed in regionals two times, winning once ... finished his career with a record of 126-16 ... two-time all-star match participant ... placed fifth in the state in 2002 ... also lettered in football two years.

Personal: Charles Joseph Pinto ... son of Charles and Patricia Pinto ... born Oct. 3, 1984 ... two brothers, Tony and Phillip ... one sister, Tara ... chose Maryland because of the academics, team and location ... lists Hank and Keith Karsen and his parents as the people he most admires ... letters and sciences major.

PINTO'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2004	7-9	1-0	2	1	2
2005	26-11	10-3	5	0	6
Totals	**33-20**	**11-3**	**7**	**1**	**8**

MATT ROTHSTEIN
157 LBS. • JUNIOR
POTOMAC, MD.
WINSTON CHURCHILL HS

As a Sophomore (2004-05): Recorded a 1-7 record at 157 pounds on the year and saw action in duals against Lehigh (2/5/05) and Virginia (2/19/05).

As a Freshman (2003-04): Went 0-2 at the East Stroudsburg Open in only action of the season.

Before Maryland: Lettered for the Winston Churchill High School team for two years ... was an honor roll member in high school as well.

Personal: Matthew Alan Rothstein ... son of Robert and Pam Rothstein ... born Sept. 29, 1985 ... two sisters, Melissa and Amanda ... chose Maryland because it has great computer science and wrestling programs ... lists his father as the person he most admires ... majoring in computer science.

ROTHSTEIN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2004	0-2	0-0	0	0	0

ANDREW SCHLAFFER
149 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
BALTIMORE, MD.
DULANEY HS

As a Redshirt Freshman (2004-05): Competed with Charlie Pinto for the 141 spot ... recorded a 17-19 mark, including a 4-9 record in duals ... had three major decisions on the year ... opened the season by winning the Central Jersey Open (11/14/04) ... finished eighth at the Mat Town Invitational (11/27/04) ... registered an impressive runner-up finish at the Penn State Open (12/5/04) ... opened the dual season with a victory over Rutgers' Steve Adamcsik (12/11/04) ... picked up two wins wrestling up at 149 pounds against VMI (1/22/05) and Duquesne (1/29/05).

As a Freshman (2003-04): Redshirted in 2003-04 ... went 2-2 in open competition at 141 pounds ... registered a pin and a major decision.

Before Maryland: Letterwinner for four years on the Dulaney High School wrestling team ... earned All-Metro and All-Baltimore County honors in 2003 ... Delaware Nationals champion in 2002 ... state champion in 2003 ... runner-up in state competition in 2002 ... all-scholars team art student of the year in 2003 ... finished career with a record of 140-35.

Personal: Andrew William Schlaffer ... son of John and Kim Schlaffer ... born May 3, 1985 ... one sister, Courtney ... chose Maryland because of both its academics and wrestling programs ... lists his junior league coach, Tom Decarlo, and Brian Capp as the people he most admires ... undecided major.

SCHLAFFER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	17-19	4-9	0	0	0

LUKE STAUFFER
174 LBS. • JUNIOR
MOUNT JOY, PA.
ELIZABETHTOWN HS

As a Sophomore: Battled injuries on his way to a 7-13 record ... saw action in 13 duals for the Terps ... went 2-2 at the Southern Scuffle (12/28) ... picked up first career pin at the tournament over Freddy Valoy of UNC Greensboro ... winner over Pat Healy of Southern Illinois-Edwardsville and Darin Harris of Utah Valley State (1/2/05) in dual action ... overtime winner over Mark Hines of Duquesne (1/29/05) ... edged George Mason's Nick Webster 6-5 in dual (2/18/05) ... represented Maryland at the ACC Tournament (3/5/05).

As a Redshirt Freshman (2003-04): Posted a 3-8 record wrestling at 157 pounds ... saw action in two dual meets against Rutgers (2/7/04) and NC State (1/17/04) ... finished fourth at the Hitchcock Classic (1/4/04) ... picked up first career victory with an 8-7 decision over Harvard's Brandon Kaufman (11/22/03).

As a Freshman (2002-03): Compiled an 0-4 record on the season ... closest match was a loss to Darren Buseman during the Wilkes-Barre Open ... also wrestled in the East Stroudsburg Open ... wrestled in the 149 weight class.

Before Maryland: Three-time Donegal Tournament champion ... three-time sectional champion ... sixth-place finisher at the state meet as a junior ... finished third at the state meet as a senior ... high school record of 129-22 ... set Elizabethtown Area High School record for career wins.

Personal: Luke Thomas Stauffer ... son of John and Marlene Stauffer ... born Aug. 2, 1983 ... two brothers, John Paul and Adam ... chose Maryland because of the coaching staff of the wrestling program ... lists his mother as the person he most admires ... majoring in physical education.

STAUFFER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2004	3-8	0-2	0	0	0
2005	7-13	4-9	1	0	0
Totals	**10-21**	**4-11**	**1**	**0**	**0**

JERAD VILLECCO
157 LBS. • JUNIOR
MICKLETON, N.J.
KINGSWAY REGIONAL HS

As a Sophomore (2004-05): Missed the entire first half of the season with injury ... finished the year with a 4-10 record at 149 pounds ... three of four victories earned bonus points ... earned a technical fall over Utah Valley State's Clayton Wolf (1/2/05) ... pinned Duke's Philip Wightman in just 1:03 ... competed at the ACC Tournament for the Terps.

As a Freshman (2003-04): Posted 11 wins for the Terps wrestling at 149 pounds, the third most on the team among regular starters ... had three dual wins ... notched three falls on the year ... picked up two victories in double-dual action against UNC-Greensboro and Old Dominion (2/14/04) ... earned first dual victory of his career with a 6-3 win over Andrew Slack of North Carolina (1/23/04) ... third-place finish after three victories at Hitchcock Classic (1/4/04).

Before Maryland: Lettered for four years on the Kingsway Regional High School wrestling team ... two-time district champion ... two-time regional runner-up ... two-time state qualifier ... earned first team all-conference honors three times and second team honors once ... named captain of the team his senior year ...

finished his career with a 95-30 record ... also a letterwinner on the baseball team for four years ... named MVP of the team three times ... earned all-conference honors twice ... lettered two years in football ... named MVP of his team and earned all-conference honors in his senior year.

Personal: Jerad Anthony Villecco ... son of Jerry and Diane Villecco ... born Aug. 21, 1984 ... one brother, Andy ... one sister, Candace ... chose Maryland because it is a big university with a well-respected academic reputation ... lists his father as the person he most admires ... undecided major.

VILLECCO'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2004	11-20	3-10	3	0	1
2005	4-10	3-4	1	1	1
Totals	15-30	6-14	4	1	2

KEVIN VINH
125/133 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
NAZARETH, PA.
NAZARETH HS

As a Freshman (2004-05): Terp starter at 125 pounds ... went 9-13 on the year and 4-7 in duals ... recorded two pins ... finished second at the Body Bar Invitational (11/20/05) ... went 2-2 at the Southern Scuffle (12/28/04) ... tallied an ACC victory over Duke's Kellan McKeon (1/8/05) ... one of two Terps to get a victory in the dual against Navy, edging Alex Usztics (1/13/05) ... pinned VMI's Jeremy Adams in just 1:12 (1/22/05) ... represented Maryland at the ACC Tournament (3/5/05).

Before Maryland: Four-year starter under coach Dave Crowell at Nazareth High ... posted a career record of 85-27 ... was named Nazareth High's outstanding athlete ... three-time district placewinner ... finished fourth in Northeast Regional ... member of the Pennsylvania cadet and junior national team.

Personal: Kevin Vinh is the son of Theresa Vuong and Thuoc Vinh ... youngest of two boys, with older brother Jason ... born May 5, 1986 ... selected Maryland because of its academic programs, campus and the wrestling coaching staff ... chose the Terps over Lehigh, Clarion and Pitt ... majoring in finance.

VINH'S CAREER STATISTICS

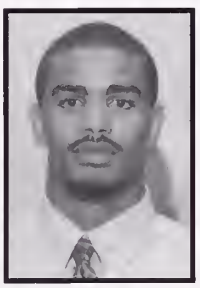
Year	W-L	Dual	Falls	Tech. Falls	Major Dec.
2005	9-13	4-7	2	0	0

NEWCOMER BIOS

STEPHEN BELL
133 LBS. • FRESHMAN
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
CONNELLSVILLE HS

Before Maryland: Captured a state title at Connellsville High in Pennsylvania ... ranked as the 10th-best recruit at 125 pounds by Intermatwrestle.com ... finished fourth during his junior season and placed eighth at the national freestyle championships ... helped Connellsville to a runner-up finish at the 2004 state dual championships ... finished his high school career with a record of 128-36.

Personal: Steven Lester Bell .. born Sept. 5, 1986 ... son Leanne and Nicholas Bell ... one of two children with one older sister ... came to Maryland because of its location and the wrestling coaching staff ... majoring in kinesiology.



DOMINIC BUCKMAN
174 LBS. • JUNIOR
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.
N.B. FORREST HS (APPALACHIAN STATE)

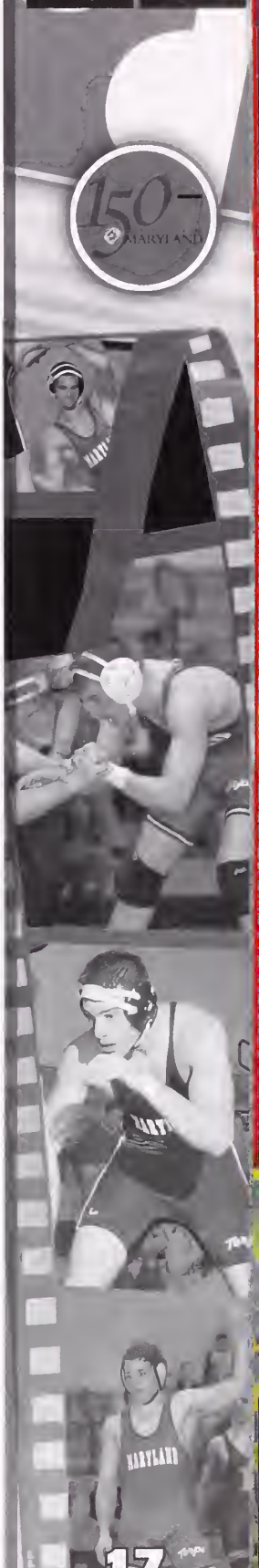
Before Maryland: Spent two seasons at Appalachian State before transferring to Maryland ... finished third in the 2004 Southern Conference tournament ... went 21-19 as a freshman and 21-9 as a sophomore ... wrestled for coach Rusty Kellum at N.B. Forrest High in Jacksonville ... a four-year letterwinner ... three-time conference and district champ and twice selected as team MVP ... took sixth in the state as a sophomore and runner-up as a senior ... compiled a 121-55 career record ... also excelled at football.

Personal: Dominic J. Buckman ... son of Thiry and Terry Lundborg ... born July 28, 1983 ... one of six children with two brothers and three sisters ... came to Maryland to help the program get to the top of the conference and nation ... majoring in kinesiology.

BRENDAN BYRNE
133 LBS. • FRESHMAN
CAPE MAY, N.J.
BLAIR ACADEMY

Before Maryland: Comes to Maryland after spending a year at Blair Academy after a stellar high school career at Cape May Regional High ... Cape May's all-time winningest wrestler with a record of 98-25 ... captured a district championship during his senior season ... team's MVP for three seasons and captain for two ... a two-time state qualifier and placed three-times at the regional championships ... in his season at prep school, posted a record of 25-11.

Personal: Brendan James Byrne ... born Jan. 21, 1986 ... son of Mary Lou Halbruner and Michael Byrne ... one of four boys with three older brothers in the family ... admires Dan Gable ... letters and sciences major.



2005-06 MARYLAND WRESTLING

ERIC GRIDA
157 LBS. • FRESHMAN
HELLERTON, PA.
SAUCON VALLEY HS

Before Maryland: Morning Call Wrestler of the Year for 2004-05 after posting a 36-2 record ... finished third at the state tournament in his final season with Saucon Valley High ... two-time district and region champ ... fourth at the state tournament as a junior and won the freestyle state championship ... twice named to the Colonial League first team and finished his career with a 114-25 record ... also excelled in football where he was a Colonial League honorable mention wide receiver.

Personal: Eric M. Grida ... born December 13, 1986 ... son of Michele and Steve Grida ... one of four children with brother Steven and sisters Nicole and Lauren ... chose Maryland because it was the best mix of education and athletics ... majoring in letters and sciences.

JAMES KNOX
125 LBS. • FRESHMAN
BALTIMORE, MD.
DULANEY HS

Before Maryland: Four-time place-winner at the state tournament at Dulaney High... captured the title and earned all-state recognition in junior season ... two-time Baltimore Sun All-Met second team honoree ... finished third at the state tournament as a senior ... piled up a 157-14 career record.

Personal: James Knox ... born Dec. 29 ... son of Debbie and Charles Knox ... youngest of five children ... two older brothers and two older sisters ... majoring in economics.

ALEX KROM
141 LBS. • FRESHMAN
EASTON, PA.
EASTON HS

Before Maryland: Four-time high school All-American at Easton High in the powerful Lehigh Valley ... posted a career record of 161-23 at Easton High, becoming District 11's all-time winningest wrestler (surpassing the mark set by current Terp Josh Haines) .... three-time District 11 champion ... placed twice at the Pennsylvania state tournament ... amassed 44 victories and won the Reno Tournament of Champions as a senior ... earned Outstanding Wrestler honors twice at the National High School Coaches Association (NHSCA) Final Four Dual Meet Championships.

Personal: Alex Krom ... born Sept. 16, 1986 ... son of Mike and Kathy Krom ... oldest of four children, with one younger brother and two younger sisters ... majoring in letters and sciences.

MASON KRUMHOLTZ
157 LBS. • FRESHMAN
BALTIMORE, MD.
KENWOOD HS

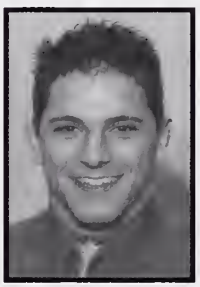
Before Maryland: Two-time state champ out of Kenwood High ... posted a career record of 107-7 ... team captain as a junior and senior ... senior all-star at 152 pounds ... two-time county champ and three-time regional champion ... also an all-league and all-county football player ... played quarterback, wide receiver and cornerback.

Personal: Mason Robert Krumholtz ... born Sept. 7, 1987 ... son of Linda and Michael Krumholtz ... one of four boys in the family ... cousin Lou Lombardo played football at Maryland ... chose the Terrapins because of its academic and athletic reputation ... letters and sciences major.

MIKE MCGILL
157 LBS. • FRESHMAN
HAGERSTOWN, MD.
WILLIAMSPORT HS

Before Maryland: Two-time state champion at Williamsport High ... posted a career record of 114-9 during his stellar career ... placed at the state tournament his freshman and sophomore seasons before winning back-to-back state titles ... went 33-1 as a senior ... won 86 of his 114 by fall, including 26 of his 33 as a senior ... two-time team captain ... four-time region and county champion ... twice named to the state's all-academic team ... area's wrestler of the year twice.

Personal: Michael Marlin McGill ... born March 3, 1987 in Martinsburg, W.Va. ... has two sisters, Morggan and Meggan ... was a member of student government in high school ... lists Muhammed Ali as his favorite athlete ... majoring in education.



CARLO MERCANDANTE
157 LBS. • SO.
WILKES-BARRE, PA.
ELMER L. MEYERS HS

Before Maryland: Four-year letterwinner ... finished second in the state as a senior ... three-time District II champion ... compiled a 127-18 record on the mat ... also excelled at football, leading the team to the AA state championship ... also captured a district title in the javelin.

Personal: Carlo Anthony Mercandante ... born Dec. 27, 1984 ... son of Helen and Carmen ... one of 10 children ... majoring in kinesiology.

FEAR THE TURTLE
2005-06 MARYLAND WRESTLING

STEVE MINEO
141 LBS. • FRESHMAN
SCOTCH PLAINS, N.J.
SCOTCH PLAINS FANWOOD

Before Maryland: High school All-American at Scotch Plains Fanwood ... the most dominant wrestler in the history of his high school, compiling an unmatched 119-17 record ... four-time District 11 champion and placed as high as fourth in the New Jersey state tournament ... six-time Team New Jersey member, and six-time Freestyle State Champion ... placed third and fifth in two trips to the Beast of the East Tournament ... team captain for two years ... a four-time all-conference and first team All-Union County selection.

Personal: Stephen Mineo ... born June 12, 1987 ... son of Blaise and Debbie Mineo ... oldest of three children ... one younger brother and two younger sisters ... chose Maryland because of its coaching staff and the team ... majoring in communications.

BRYAN REISS
285 LBS. • FRESHMAN
EMMAUS, PA.
EMMAUS HS

Before Maryland: Became the first male athlete in Emmaus High history to win a state title after taking the 2005 Pennsylvania state championship ... finished fifth in the state as a junior ... four-time place-winner in District 11 (1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 5th) ... placed three times in the Northeast Regional (1st, 2nd, and 4th) ... two-time member of the All-Lehigh Valley Conference ... finished his high school career with a 140-26 record and a school-record 96 pins ... ranked among the top 300 recruits in the country according to Intermatwrestle.com.

Personal: Bryan Reiss ... born Nov. 3, 1986 ... son of Robert and Lori Reiss ... oldest of two children ... chose Maryland because of its location and education program ... majoring in elementary education.

CLINT STOUT
157 LBS. • SOPHOMORE
CORSICA, PA.
COMMEDORE PERRY (WYOMING)

Before Maryland: Comes to Maryland after two years at Wyoming ... went 3-13 as a redshirt freshman for the Cowboys ... solid in redshirt season with a record of six wins and eight losses ... wrestled for coach Kevin Drew at Commedore Perry in Hadley, Pa. ... won three varsity letters ... finished seventh in the state and second in the region as a senior in 2003 at 145 pounds ... two-time district winner.

Personal: Clint B. Stout ... born May 17, 1984 ... son of Tereasa and Randy Stout ... one of five children with three brothers and a sister ... two brothers wrestled at Lehigh and his uncle wrestled at West Virginia ... came to Maryland to work with Pat Santoro ... majoring in parks and recreation.

HUDSON TAYLOR
197 LBS. • FRESHMAN
PENNINGTON, N.J.
BLAIR ACADEMY

Before Maryland: A five-star recruit out of powerful Blair Academy ... three-time prep national champion ... rated as the 17th-best recruit in the country by Intermatwrestle.com ... a three-time placer at the Beast of the East Tournament, including a third place finish in 2003 and runner-up in 2004 ... Cadet Freestyle national champion in 2003 and Cadet Freestyle All-American in 2002 .... compiled a 128-19 career record, recording 79 falls.

Personal: Herbert Hudson Taylor ... born Jan. 13, 1987 ... son of Polly and Herb Taylor ... two sisters Charlotte and Heather ... majoring in theater.

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2004-05 SEASON RECAP

The Terrapins consistently showed signs of becoming a winner throughout the 2004-05 campaign. A thin team was further depleted by injuries throughout the season – so much so that the Terps were without a heavyweight for most of the season, meaning they started each dual down six points. Maryland also traveled to some of the most competitive tournaments in the country and tackled some of the nation's best in duals in order to test itself against talented competition. These obstacles only strengthened the team's resolve and focus and served it well as it continued its growth on the national scene.

"We took some lumps this year, we had a lot of holes in our lineup and you're not going to win dual meets with holes," Santoro said. "We train for the ACC and NCAA tournaments."

The biggest story in 2004-05 was the emergence of 141-pound sophomore Charlie Pinto. Pinto epitomized Santoro's philosophy of improvement throughout the season as Pinto won 11 of his last 13 matches. He rolled through the ACC Tournament to capture Maryland's first ACC title since 2002 (Brandon York) and qualified for the NCAA Tournament. Pinto finished the year with a 26-11 record and was named the team's Most Outstanding Wrestler for the season.

Jason Kiessling put together another strong season for the Terps posting a record of 29-13 record. Kiessling placed in five tournaments throughout the season, including a runner-up finish at the Penn State open and a fourth-place finish at ACCs. Adam James (157) and Jerry Afari (197) struggled through injury-riddled seasons but still managed to place fourth at the ACC Tournament.

The Terps opened the season at the Body Bar Classic, where freshman Kevin Vinh received some early success with a runner-up finish. Maryland then placed six wrestlers at the Penn State Open, including runner-up performances by Kiessling and Andrew Schlaffer (141). Freshman Josh Haines, who redshirted in 2004-05, continued his progression with an impressive third place finish to help pace the Terps.

Maryland opened up its dual season with a pair of losses to Rutgers and Rider before wrapping up the tournament season at the Southern Scuffle. The Terps began 2005 with a pair of run away victories against Utah Valley State and Southern Illinois-Edwardsville at a quadrangular tournament in Columbia, Mo. For his performance, Kiessling was named ACC Wrestler of the Week on January 4. Maryland struggled in its next few duals tying VMI on January 21. The Terps had to surrender six points in each dual because injuries forced a forfeit at heavyweight, costing them the out-right victory against the Keydets. The Terps picked up a convincing win against Duquesne before closing the season with six losses. Four of the team's losses throughout the year came at the hands of nationally ranked opponents.

Pinto, seeded second at the ACC Tournament, finished off Isaiah Britton 7-5 in the finals to qualify for the NCAA Tournament. As Maryland's lone representative in St. Louis, Pinto drew a tough first round assignment against third-seeded Mark Churella of Michigan. After the first round loss, Pinto bounced back in the consolation bracket with his first NCAA tourney win over Northern Iowa's C.J. Ettelson. He was then eliminated by Ron Tarquinio of Pitt.

The Terps competed hard in every dual as evidenced by Maryland earning the ACC Sportsmanship Award. Teams that received the award conducted themselves with a high degree of character and good sportsmanship, as determined by a vote of the league's teams.

"Good sportsmanship is part of the full character development that our student-athletes strive for. As a coach, you hope that all of your athletes conduct themselves in a classy manner, so it is nice to be recognized for that," Santoro said.

The Terps also excelled in the classroom, compiling a team GPA of 3.0498, which ranked 12th in the country.

KEVIN VINH

SEASON RESULTS
3-13-1 OVERALL • 0-5 ACC (6TH)

Nov. 20	Body Bar Invitational (Ithaca, N.Y.)	8th/33 pts.
Nov. 27	Mat Town Invitational (Lock Haven, Pa.)	13th/ 25.5 pts.
Dec. 5	Penn State Open (University Park, Pa.)	No team scores
Dec. 11	at Rutgers	L, 12-23
Dec. 11	at Rider	L, 7-39
Dec. 28	Southern Scuffle (Greensboro, N.C.)	13th/31 pts.
Jan. 2	vs. Southern Illinois-Edwardsville (Columbia, Mo.)	W, 41-6
Jan. 2	vs. Utah Valley St. (Columbia, Mo.)	W, 35-9
Jan. 2	at Missouri	L, 0-47
Jan. 8	at North Carolina*	L, 3-36
Jan. 8	at Duke*	L, 18-23
Jan. 13	**NAVY**	**L, 6-35**
Jan. 21	at Virginia Military Institute	T, 18-18
Jan. 22	at Virginia Tech*	L, 6-32
Jan. 29	**DUQUESNE**	**W, 24-13**
Jan. 29	**NORTH CAROLINA-GREENSBORO**	**L, 11-27**
Feb. 5	vs. Lehigh (Charlottesville, Va.)	L, 4-39
Feb. 12	**NC STATE***	**L, 9-37**
Feb. 13	at American	L, 21-23
Feb. 18	**GEORGE MASON**	**L, 14-23**
Feb. 19	**VIRGINIA***	L, 11-26
Mar. 5	at ACC Championships (Greensboro, N.C.)	6th, 21 pts.
Mar. 17-19	at NCAA Tournament (St. Louis, Mo.)	67th, .5 pts.

Home matches in BOLD CAPS | * ACC match

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Name	*Wt.*	*Overall*	*Dual*	*Falls/TF/MD*	*Tourn Finishes*
Jerry Afari	197	7-11	3-4	2/0/0	4th ACC
Keith Bernard	149	1-6	0-0	0/0/0	
Adam Beytin	174/84	2-2	0-0	1/0/0	5th CJO
Eli Black	174	1-3	0-0	0/0/0	
Ryan Brown	133	2-3	0-0	0/0/0	
Sean Carr	133	8-22	5-11	1/0/1	3rd CJO
Patrick Cissne	184	2-3	0-0	2/0/0	
Adam DeCosmo	157	7-6	0-0	0/0/0	6th PSO, 6th EO
Mark Eberstein	184	9-13	3-7	2/0/0	1st CJO
Sean Fehn	174	1-2	0-0	1/0/0	
Dan Gargas	197	1-8	0-2	0/0/0	6th CJO
Jason Gribschaw	141	0-2	0-0	0/0/0	
Josh Haines	184	26-4	0-0	0/0/2	2nd ESO, 3rd PSO, 2nd EO
Kyle Harger	149	11-7	0-0	4/1/0	
Spencer Hollerith	149	3-6	0-0	0/0/1	
Adam James	157	13-11	6-4	2/0/4	2nd CJO, 4th ACC
Chad Jeronimo	141/49	5-6	0-0	0/0/0	
Ryan Kennett	157/65	7-8	0-0	0/0/0	
Jason Kiessling	165	29-13	11-5	0/0/7	1st CJO, 4th MT, 2nd PSO, 3rd SS, 4th ACC
Mike Maceroli	174/84/97	0-14	0-5	0/0/0	
Mike Moor	125	2-5	0-0	0/0/1	
Yony Noy	174/97/HWT	6-18	0-8	2/0/0	5th CJO
Jeff Oldham	125/33	10-10	4-2	0/0/1	
Rob Parker	165	12-13	3-4	2/0/2	3rd CJO, 6th PSO
Charlie Pinto	141	26-11	10-3	5/0/6	3rd BBC, 4th PSO, 1st ACC
Bryan Rizzo	149/57	1-8	0-6	0/0/0	
Matt Rothstein	157	1-7	0-2	0/0/0	
Andrew Schlaffer	141/49	17-19	4-9	1/1/3	1st CJO, 8th MT, 2nd PSO
Luke Stauffer	174/84	6-13	4-9	1/0/0	
Barry Stein	HWT	0-2	0-0	0/0/0	
Dan Uffleman	149	0-4	0-0	0/0/0	
Jared Villecco	149	4-10	3-4	1/1/1	
Kevin Vinh	125	9-13	4-7	2/0/0	2nd BBC

*Tournament Key: CJO-Central Jersey Open, BBC-Body Bar Classic, ESO-East Stroudsburg Open, MT-Mat Town Tournament, PSO-Penn State Open, SS-Southern Scuffle, EO-Edinboro Open, ACC-ACC Tournament

2004-05 DUAL RESULTS

RUTGERS 23, MARYLAND 12

December 11, 2004 -- Piscataway, N.J.	MD	RUT
125 - Jeff Oldham (MD) dec. Dan Hilt (RU), 4-3	3	0
133 - Sean Carr (MD) dec. Ryan Jablonski (RU), 7-3	6	0
141 - Andrew Schlaffer (MD) dec. Steve Adamcsik (RU), 5-0	9	0
149 - Mike Ferrara (RU) dec. Jerad Villecco (MD), 6-4	9	3
157 - Gene Zannetti (RU) dec. Adam James (MD), 9-5	9	6
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) dec. Joe Sacco (RU), 5-2	12	6
174 - Andy Roy (RU) maj. dec. Rob Parker (MD), 11-2	12	10
184 - Chris Ressa (RU) dec. Mark Eberstein (MD), 5-2	12	13
197 - John Foscolo (RU) maj. dec. Dan Gargas (MD), 10-0	12	17
285 - John Slevin (RU) won by forfeit	12	23

RIDER 39, MARYLAND 7

December 11, 2004 -- Lawrenceville, N.J.	MD	RID
125 - Ryan Smith (R) dec. Jeff Oldham (MD), 12-5	0	3
133 - Tim Harner (R) maj. dec. Sean Carr (MD), 11-3	0	7
141 - Don Fisch (R) pinned Charlie Pinto (MD), 4:15	0	13
149 - Michael Palma (R) maj. dec. Jerad Villecco (MD), 11-3	0	17
157 - Adam James (MD) maj. dec. Dan Silberman (R), 24-9	4	17
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) dec. Ryan Cunningham (R), 4-1	7	17
174 - Chris Marold (R) pinned Yony Noy (MD), 6:04	7	23
184 - Sean Jenkins (R) maj. dec. Mark Eberstein (MD), 12-2	7	27
197 - T. J. Morrison (R) Dan Gargas (MD), 1:05	7	33
285 - Tyler Rees (R) won by forfeit	7	39

MARYLAND 41, S. ILLINOIS-EDWARDSVILLE 6

January 2, 2005 -- Columbia, Mo.	MD	SIUE
125 - Jeff Oldham (MD) maj. dec. Scott Audo (SIUE), 15-5	4	0
133 - Sean Carr (MD) dec. Steve Chico (SIUE), 12-7	7	0
141 - Andrew Schlaffer (MD) pinned **Lankford (SIUE), 2:38	13	0
149 - MD wins by forfeit	19	0
157 - Adam James (MD) pinned Matt Warren (SIUE), 5:30	25	0
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) maj. dec. Matt Oliva (SIUE),12-0	29	0
174 - Luke Stauffer (MD) dec. Pat Healy (SIUE), 10-8 (OT)	32	0
184 - Mark Eberstein (MD) pinned Cory Scott (SIUE), 0:33	38	0
197 - Jerry Afari (MD) dec. Branden Lorek (SIUE), 6-4	41	0
285 - SIUE wins by forfeit	41	6

**Lankford did not make weight, but the match was wrestled giving MD six points

MARYLAND 35, UTAH VALLEY STATE 9

January 2, 2005 -- Columbia, Mo.	MD	UTV
125 - Talon Vickers (UVS) dec. Kevin Vinh (MD), 9-4	0	3
133 - Sean Carr (MD) dec. Matt Ripplinger (UVS), 6-3	3	3
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) pinned Justin Rawle (UVS), 3:47	9	3
149 - Jerad Villecco (MD) tech. fall Clayton Wolf (UVS), 17-2	14	3
157 - Adam James (MD) dec. Tanner Cowan (UVS), 5-3	17	3
165 - Rob Parker (MD) dec. Mark Blain (UVS), 3-0	20	3
174 - Luke Stauffer (MD) dec. Darin Harris (UVS), 10-6	23	3
184 - Mark Eberstein (MD) pinned Ivan Bigney (UVS), 2:03	29	3
197 - Jerry Afari (MD) pinned Darren Cooper (UVS), 4:53	35	3
285 - UVS wins by forfeit	35	9

MISSOURI 47, MARYLAND 0

January 2, 2005 -- Columbia, Mo.	MD	MU
125 - Austin DeVoe (MU) dec. Kevin Vinh (MD), 11-9	0	3
133 - Tyler McCormick (MU) tech. fall Sean Carr (MD), 17-0, 5:12	0	8
141 - Chris McCormick (MU) maj. dec. Andrew Schlafer (MD)	0	12
149 - Cody Green (MU) maj. dec. Jared Velleco (MD), 11-4	0	16
157 - Brad Cieleski (MU) maj. dec. Adam James (MD), 13-5	0	20
165 - Tyron Woodley (MU) maj. dec. Jason Kiessling (MD), 14-4	0	24
174 - Ben Askern (MU) pinned Luke Stauffer (MD), 1:37	0	30
184 - Matt Pell (MU) pinned Mark Eberstein (MD), 4:45	0	36
197 - Jeff Foust (MU) tech. fall Jerry Afari (MD), 18-1	0	41
285 - MU wins by forfeit	0	47

DUKE 23, MARYLAND 18

January 8, 2005 -- Durham, N.C.	MD	DU
133 - Bryan Gibson (DU) maj. dec. Sean Carr (MD), 12-0	0	4
141 - Daniel Shvarstman (DU) dec. Andrew Schlaffer (MD), 3-2	0	7
149 - Jared Villeco (MD) pinned Philip Wightman (DU), 1:03	6	7
157 - Adam James (MD) pinned Adam Lesser (DU), 4:05	12	7
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) dec. Steve Smith (DU), 8-5	15	7
174 - Levi Craig (DU) dec. Luke Stauffer (MD), 5-4	15	10
184 - Frank Cornely (DU) dec. Mark Eberstein (MD), 5-4	15	13
197 - Mark Thompson (DU) maj. dec. Jerry Afari (MD), 12-3	15	17
285 - Andrew Herbert (DU) won by forfeit	15	23
125 - Kevin Vinh (MD) dec. Kellan McKeon (DU), 3-1	18	23

NORTH CAROLINA 36, MARYLAND 3

January 8, 2005 -- Chapel Hill, N.C.	MD	UNC
133 - Evan Sola (UNC) pinned Sean Carr (MD),0:30	0	6
141 - Isaiah Britton (UNC) dec. Charlie Pinto (MD), 11-8	0	9
149 - Chris Ramos (UNC) maj. dec. Andrew Schlaffer (MD), 11-0	0	13
157 - Adam James (MD) dec. Kyle Shelton (UNC), 7-6	3	13
165 - Garrett Atkinson (UNC) dec. Jason Kiessling (MD), 3-1	3	16
174 - Alex Maciag (UNC) dec. Luke Stauffer (MD), 11-7	3	19
184 - Justin Dobies (UNC) dec. Mark Eberstein (MD), 4-1	3	22
197 - David Dashiell (UNC) maj. dec. Jerry Afari (MD), 10-2	3	26
285 - Spencer Nadolsky (UNC) won by forfei	3	32
125 - Bobby Shaw (UNC) maj. dec. Kevin Vinh (MD), 10-2	3	36

NAVY 35, MARYLAND 6

January 13, 2005 -- College Park, Md.	MD	USNA
125 - Kevin Vinh (MD) dec. Alex Usztics (USNA), 4-3	3	0
133 - Sam Gray (USNA) pinned Sean Carr (MD), 4:31	3	6
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) dec. Nate Gulosh (USNA), 8-5	6	6
149 - Jon Cox (USNA) dec. Bryan Rizzo (MD), 9-4	6	9
157 - Pat Lukanich (USNA) dec. Adam James (MD), 7-4	6	12
165 - Deon Barret (USNA) dec. Jason Kiessling (MD), 3-1	6	15
174 - Matt Stolpinski (USNA) pinned Luke Stauffer (MD), 4:12	6	21
184 - Jon Kane (USNA) dec. Mark Eberstein (MD), 12-8	6	24
197 - Andrew Adams (USNA) tech. fall Yony Noy (MD), 5:34	6	29
285 - Tanner Garrett (USNA) won by forfeit	6	35

MARYLAND 18, VMI 18

January 21, 2005 -- Lexington, Va.	MD	VMI
125 - Kevin Vinh (MD) pinned Jeremy Adams (VMI), 1:12	6	0
133 - Tyler Anthony (VMI) dec. Sear Carr (MD), 7-1	6	3
141 - David Metzler (VMI) dec. Charlie Pinto (MD), 8-6	6	6
149 - Andrew Schlaffer (MD) dec. Sam Alvarenga (VMI), 4-3	9	6
157 - Chris Hardy (VMI) dec. Bryan Rizzo (MD), 6-2	9	9
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) dec. Tommy Cunningham (VMI), 6-1	12	9
174 - Rob Parker (MD) dec. Dustin McCabe (VMI), 6-2	15	9
184 - Mark Eberstein (MD) dec. Corry Murray (VMI), 8-5	18	9
197 - Corry Murray (VMI) dec. Yony Noy (MD), 8-1	18	12
285 - Brian Yannetti (VMI) won by forfeit	18	18

VIRGINIA TECH 32, MARYLAND 6

January 22, 2005 -- Blacksburg, Va.	MD	VT
125 - Justin Staylor (VT) dec. Kevin Vinh, 4-2 (SV)	0	3
133 - David Hoffman (VT) pinned Sean Carr, 5:16	0	9
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) dec. Donny Ooton, 6-3	3	9
149 - Tyde Prater (VT) dec. Andrew Schlaffer, 6-5	3	12
157 - Reed Carpenter (VT) maj. dec. Bryan Rizzo, 16-4	3	16
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) dec. Chris Stith, 3-2	6	16
174 - Shaun Guttridge (VT) dec. Rob Parker, 5-1	6	19
184 - Steve Borja (VT) maj. dec. Mark Eberstein, 16-6	6	23
197 - Thomas Ovalle (VT) dec. Yony Noy, 5-3	6	26
285 - Mike Faust (VT) win by forfeit	6	32

MARYLAND 24, DUQUESNE 13

January 29, 2005 -- College Park, Md.	MD	DU
125 - Kevin Vinh (MD) dec. Jon Bittinger (DU), 2-0	3	0
133 - Sean Carr (MD) dec. Keith Pavelekovsky (DU), 9-7 (sv)	6	0
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) pinned Bernie Lynch (DU), 4:11	12	0
149 - Andrew Schlaffer (MD) dec. Dan Pauley (DU), 12-5	15	0
157 - Jon Denk (DU) dec. Bryan Rizzo (MD), 7-5	15	3
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) dec. Rob Dempsey (DU), 9-3	18	3
174 - Luke Stauffer (MD) dec. Mark Himes (DU), 5-3 (sv)	21	3
184 - Jared Ricotta (DU) maj. dec. Rob Parker (MD), 11-0	21	7
197 - Yony Noy (MD) dec. Tim Frank (DU), 2-1 (tb)	24	7
285 - Marc Allemang (DU) won by forfeit	24	13

2005-06 MARYLAND WRESTLING

UNC GREENSBORO 27, MARYLAND 11

January 29, 2005 -- College Park, Md.	MD	UNCG
125 - Joe Kemmerer (UNCG) dec. Kevin Vinh (MD), 5-1	0	3
133 - Chris Bencivenga (UNCG) dec. Sean Carr (MD), 8-3	0	6
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) maj. dec. David Johnson (UNCG), 12-3	4	6
149 - Andrew Kneger (UNCG) dec. Andrew Schlaffer (MD), 7-0	4	9
157 - O.T. Johnson (UNCG) dec. Bryan Rizzo (MD), 8-1	4	12
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) maj. dec. Mark Ring (UNCG), 14-4	8	12
174 -Rob Parker (MD) dec. Scott Fisher (UNCG), 3-2	11	12
184 - Joe Lowe (UNCG) dec. Luke Stauffer (MD), 11-6	11	15
197 - Daren Burns (UNCG) pinned Mike Maceroli (MD), 1:51	11	21
285 - Joe Sheffield (UNCG) won by forfeit	11	27

LEHIGH 39, MARYLAND 4

February 5, 2005 -- Charlottesville, Va.	MD	LU
125 - Andrew Rizzi (LU) won by forfeit	0	6
133 - Matt Ciasulli (LU) maj. dec. Sean Carr (MD), 8-0	0	10
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) maj. dec. Mark McCauley (LU), 14-5	4	10
149 - Dave Nakasone (LU) dec. Andrew Schlaffer (MD), 14-7	4	13
157 - Matt Anderson (LU) tech. fall Matt Rothstein (MD), 17-2	4	18
165 - Brian Lamay (LU) maj. dec. Jason Kiessling (MD), 11-3	4	22
174 - #6 Travis Frick (LU) maj. dec. Luke Stauffer (MD), 16-5	4	26
184 - Matt Cassidy (LU) maj. dec. Mike Maceroli (MD), 12-2	4	30
197 - Jon Bruno (LU) dec. Yony Noy (MD), 4-0	4	33
HWT - Paul Weibel (LU) won by forfeit	4	39

NC STATE 37, MARYLAND 9

February 12, 2005 -- College Park, Md.	MD	NCSU
125 - Garrett Cummings (NCSU) dec. Kevin Vinh (MD), 5-4	0	3
133 - Matt Spengler (NCSU) dec. Jeff Oldham (MD), 4-1	0	6
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) pinned Jeff Breese (NCSU), 2:06	6	6
149 - Alex Hernandez (NCSU) pinned Jared Villecco (MD), 3:53	6	12
157 - Kody Hamrah (NCSU) dec. Adam James (MD), 11-10	6	15
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) dec. Ryan Nowicki (NCSU), 8-5	9	15
174 - Kevin Gabrielson (NCSU) pinned Luke Stauffer (MD), 1:48	9	21
184 - Jeremy Colbert (NCSU) pinned Mike Maceroli (MD), :45	9	27
197 - Zach Garren (NCSU) maj. dec. Yony Noy (MD), 9-1	9	31
285 - Jainor Palma (NCSU) won by forfeit	9	37

AMERICAN 23, MARYLAND 21

February 13, 2005 -- Washington, D.C.	MD	AU
149 - Christopher Stout (AU) dec. Andrew Schlaffer (MD), 9-5	0	3
157 - Adam James (MD) dec. Tom Kniezewski (AU), 6-4	3	3
165 - Muzaffar Abdurakhmanov (AU) dec. Jason Kiessling (MD), 11-5	3	6
174 - Dan Waters (AU) dec. Luke Stauffer (MD), 11-5	3	9
184 - Josh Glenn (AU) tech falls Rob Parker (MD), 18-2, 6:48	3	14
197 - Tyler Flatt (AU) dec. Yony Noy (MD), 4-0	3	17
285 - Adam LoPiccolo (AU) pin Mike Maceroli (MD), 2:23	3	23
125 - Jeff Oldham (MD) won by forfeit	9	23
133 - Sean Carr (MD) won by forfeit	15	23
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) won by forfeit	21	23

GEORGE MASON 23, MARYLAND 14

February 18, 2005 -- College Park, Md.	MD	GMU
184 - Mike Eastman (GMU) dec. Mike Maceroli (MD), 11-6	0	3
197 - Harry Zander (GMU) pinned Jerry Afari (MD), 6:48	0	9
285 - Joel Caruso (GMU) won by disqualification on Yony Noy (MD)	0	14*
125 - Jeff Oldham (MD) dec. Joe Coughlin (GMU), 7-5	3	14
133 - David Emison (GMU) dec. Sean Carr (MD), 10-4	3	17
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) maj. dec. Jay Chichester (GMU), 17-5	7	17
149 - Robert Henry (GMU) dec. Andrew Schlaffer (MD), 7-6	7	20
157 - Mitch Webster (GMU) dec. Bryan Rizzo (MD), 6-3	7	23
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) maj. dec. Randy Oates (GMU), 10-2	11	23
174 - Luke Stauffer (MD) dec. Nick Webster (GMU), 6-5	14	23

VIRGINIA 26, MARYLAND 11

February 19, 2005 -- College Park, Md.	MD	UVa
149 - Paul Dunstan (UVa) dec. Andrew Schlaffer (MD), 9-5	0	3
157 - Paul Bjorlo (UVa) tech. fall Matt Rothstein (MD),16-0 (5:00)	0	8
165 - Jason Kiessling (MD) maj. dec. Jim Hartey (UVa), 13-3	4	8
174 - Rocco Caponi (UVa) dec. Luke Stauffer (MD), 6-1	4	11
184 - Chudi Uraih (UVa) dec. Mike Maceroli (MD), 3-1	4	11
197 - Jerry Afari (MD) dec. Scott Smith (UVa), 6-5	7	14
285 - Nick Smith (UVa) wins by forfeit	7	20
125 - Anthony Burke (UVa) dec. Kevin Vinh (MD), 5-1	7	23
133 - Byron Dunlap (UVa) dec. Sean Carr (MD), 7-2	7	26
141 - Charlie Pinto (MD) maj. dec. Chet Naylor (UVa), 15-7	11	26

2004-05 ACC REVIEW

STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	For	Opp	W	L	T	Pct.	For	Opp
Virginia Tech	5	0	0	1.000	134	45	16	4	0	.800	545	290
NC State	4	2	0	.667	133	96	8	8	0	.500	306	319
North Carolina	4	2	0	.667	140	83	6	9	0	.400	275	288
Duke	2	3	0	.400	81	111	9	5	0	.643	367	184
Virginia	1	4	0	.200	62	108	6	11	0	.353	270	358
Maryland	0	5	0	.000	47	154	3	13	1	.206	240	456

ACC
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ACC CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS

125 - Drew Forshey (UNC) d. Justin Staylor (VT), 9-2
133 - Evan Sola (UNC) d. David Hoffman (VT), 6-4
141 - Charlie Pinto (UMD) d. Isaiah Britton (UNC), 7-5
149 - Tyde Prater (VT) d. Alex Hernandez (NCST), 16-8
157 - Paul Bjorlo (UVA) d. Kody Hamrah (NCST), 10-5
165 - Garrett Atkinson (UNC) d. Will Durkee (UVA), 5-4
175 - Kevin Gabrielson (NCST) d. Rocco Caponi (UVA), 7-4
184 - Frank Cornely (Duke) d. Steve Borja (VT), 7-2
197 - David Dashiell (UNC) d. Mark Thompson (Duke), 3-2 OT
285 - Mike Faust (VT) d. Venroy July (Duke), 3-1 SV

TEAM STANDINGS

1. North Carolina	76
2. Virginia Tech	66.5
3. NC State	56.5
4. Virginia	53
5. Duke	47.5
6. Maryland	***21***

ACC WRESTLERS OF THE WEEK

Nov. 22 - Isaiah Britton, North Carolina
Dec. 13 - David Hoffman, Virginia Tech
Jan. 4 - Jason Kiessling, Maryland
Evan Sola, North Carolina
Jan. 10 - Rocco Caponi, Virginia
Jan. 17 - Steve Borja, Virginia Tech
Jan. 24 - David Hoffman, Virginia Tech
Jan. 31 - Alex Hernandez, NC State
Feb. 7 - Evan Sola, North Carolina
Feb. 14 - Justin Staylor, Virginia Tech
Feb. 21 - Paul Bjorlo, Virginia
Feb. 28 - Frank Cornely, Duke

ACC NCAA QUALIFIERS

125 - Drew Forshey, North Carolina
133 - Evan Sola, North Carolina
133 - David Hoffman, Virginia Tech
141 - Charlie Pinto, Maryland
149 - Tyde Prater, Virginia Tech
149 - Alex Hernandez, NC State
157 - Paul Bjorlo, Virginia
157 - Reed Carpenter, Virginia Tech
165 - Garrett Atkinson, North Carolina
174 - Kevin Gabrielson, NC State
174 - Rocco Caponi, Virginia
184 - Frank Cornely, Duke
184 - Steve Borja, Virginia Tech
197 - David Dashiell, North Carolina
285 - Mike Faust, Virginia Tech

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ALL-TIME RESULTS

SOUTHERN CONFERENCE

Year	Overall	Pct.	Finish	Head Coach
1940	6-1	.857		Jim Douglas
1941	4-4-1	.500	4th	Jim Douglas
1942	2-6	.250	8th	Joe McDaniel
	NO TEAMS DURING WWII, 1943-1946			
1947	2-4	.333	4th	Sully Krouse
1948	5-5	.500	3rd	Sully Krouse
1949	8-1	.889	3rd	Sully Krouse
1950	5-3	.625	3rd	Sully Krouse
1951	5-3	.625	3rd	Sully Krouse
1952	6-2	.750	1st	Sully Krouse
1953	6-1	.857	1st	Sully Krouse
Total	49-30-1	.619		

ATLANTIC COAST CONFERENCE

Year	Overall	Pct.	ACC	Pct.	Finish	Head Coach
1954	5-4	.556	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1955	7-2	.778	5-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1956	6-2	.750	5-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1957	6-3	.667	5-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1958	6-1-2	.778	5-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1959	6-3	.667	5-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1960	6-4	.600	5-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1961	6-2	.750	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1962	5-4-1	.550	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1963	6-2	.750	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1964	4-2-1	.643	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1965	6-3	.667	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1966	4-4	.500	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1967	6-4-1	.591	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1968	6-3	.667	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1969	8-2-1	.773	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1970	10-3	.769	3-1	.750	2nd	Sully Krouse
1971	5-5	.500	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1972	8-4-2	.643	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1973	9-8	.529	3-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1974	14-5-1	.725	4-0	1.000	1st	Sully Krouse
1975	9-10	.474	2-2	.500	3rd	Sully Krouse
1976	8-9	.470	3-1	.750	2nd	Sully Krouse
1977	7-7	.500	1-3	.250	4th	Sully Krouse
1978	7-7-1	.500	2-3	.400	4th	Sully Krouse
1979	8-7-1	.531	1-3	.250	4th	John McHugh
1980	12-6-1	.658	2-3	.400	4th	John McHugh
1981	12-6-1	.658	1-2-1	.333	5th	John McHugh
1982	13-6	.684	2-3	.400	4th	John McHugh
1983	9-4	.692	2-2	.500	4th	John McHugh
1984	16-4	.800	4-1	.750	2nd	John McHugh
1985	5-10	.333	2-4	.333	5th	John McHugh
1986	9-7	.563	2-3	.400	4th	John McHugh
1987	11-6	.647	3-2	.600	3rd	John McHugh
1988	13-9	.591	3-4	.429	4th	John McHugh
1989	12-9-2	.565	2-4	.333	4th	John McHugh
1990	17-6	.739	4-1	.800	2nd	John McHugh
1991	11-8	.579	2-3	.400	4th	John McHugh
1992	12-7-1	.625	3-2	.600	3rd	John McHugh
1993	12-2	.857	4-1	.800	2nd	John McHugh
1994	8-7-1	.531	3-2	.600	3rd	John McHugh
1995	14-3	.824	3-2	.600	2nd	John McHugh
1996	8-4	.667	1-3	.250	4th	John McHugh
1997	11-3	.786	2-2	.500	3rd	John McHugh
1998	5-5-1	.500	1-3	.250	4th	John McHugh
1999	7-4	.636	2-2	.500	4th	John McHugh
2000	8-3	.727	2-2	.500	2nd	John McHugh
2001	6-6	.500	1-3	.250	4th	John McHugh
2002	10-4	.417	1-3	.250	4th	John McHugh
2003	7-7	.500	0-4	.000	4th	John McHugh
2004	4-9	.308	0-4	.000	5th	Pat Santoro
2005	3-13-1	.206	0-5	.000	6th	Pat Santoro
Totals	430-266-19	.614	149-83-1	.641		Five Coaches

OVERALL: 479-296-20/.615 (795 total matches)
PRIOR TO 1954: 49-30-1/.619 (80 mtaches)
SINCE 1954: 430-266-19/.614 (715 matches) ACC: 149-83-1/.641 (233 matches)

ALL-TIME HONORS

NCAA CHAMPIONS

1965	Bob Kopnisky (157)
1969	Gobel Kline (152)

UNITED STATES OLYMPIAN

1956	Ernie Fischer (160.5)

ACC WRESTLER OF THE YEAR

1997	James Guzzio (134)

ACC COACH OF THE YEAR

1990	John McHugh
1993	John McHugh

ACC ALL-CONFERENCE WRESTLERS

1986	Steve Peperak	1993	Marc Papa
	Tom Reese		Steve Woods
	Phil Brown		David Land
1987	Steve Pererak		Vasilios Lahanas
	Curt Scovel		Kevin Brown
	Tom Reese	1994	David Land
1988	Dan McIntyre	1995	Humphery Atiemo
	Troy Lawrence		Pat Flynn
	Mike Owens		Mike Van Oss
	Tom Reese		Marc Papa
	Phil Brown	1996	Pat Flynn
1989	Mike Caro		James Guzzio
	Scott Buckiso	1997	Arash Alizadeh
1990	Keith Venanzi		James Guzzio
	Scott Buckiso		Damon Stephens
	Matt Caro	1998	Jeff Whalen
	Jason Shea	1999	Brandon York
	Matt Groom	2000	Brandon York
1991	Tom Miller	2001	Mark Mansueto
	Mike Caro		Brandon York
	Kevin Brown	2002	Brandon York
	Matt Caro		Jake Stork
1992	Steve Woods	2003	Jake Stork
	Tom Miller		Adam James
		2004	Jason Kiessling
			Barry Stein
		2005	Charlie Pinto

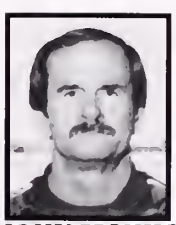
BARRY STEIN (2004 ALL-ACC)

ACC TOURNAMENT MOST VALUABLE WRESTLERS

1957	Rodney Norris (137)	1961	Eugene Kenn (157)
1958	Nick Biondi (147)	1962	Pat Varre (147)
1959	Don Santo (137)	1963	Bob Kopnisky (157)
1960	Eugene Kerin (167)	1965	Bob Kopnisky (157)

COACHING HISTORY

SULLY KROUSE
(32 Years • 1947-78)
Overall: 200-127-11
ACC: 96-10 (.906)
20 ACC Championships



JOHN MCHUGH
(32 Years • 1947-78)
Overall: 256-143-8
ACC: 53-64-1 (.642)

ALL-TIME ACC CHAMPIONS

115
John McHugh - 1956
Ray Osborne - 1958 & 1959
Dick Baker - 1960
Dick Maynard - 1961 & 1962
Roger Neutze - 1963
Tom Schleicher - 1964
Tom Norris - 1965 & 1966
Bob Terrill - 1967 & 1968
Gary Mulligan - 1969

118
Steve Nickolaus - 1971
John Ferrara - 1972

123
John McHugh - 1957
Ray Haney - 1958
Dick Van Auken - 1959 & 1960
Ronald Maunder - 1961 & 1962
Jim Arnoult - 1965 & 1966
Dave Reese - 1967

126
Ed Doebler - 1970
Pete Pappas - 1971 & 1972
Greg Filipos - 1974

130
Ed Weatherly - 1956
Ray Haney - 1957 & 1959
Dick Van Auken - 1958
Ed Cliatt - 1960
Sam Bossert - 1961 & 1962
Ronald Maunder - 1963
Chip Cole - 1964
Keith Billotte - 1966
Milt Thomas - 1967
Jim Arnoult - 1968
John Baker - 1969

133
Brandon York - 1999 , 2000 & 2001

134
Tom Talbert - 1971
Tom Pappas - 1972
Jason Shea - 1990
James Guzzio - 1996* & 1997

137
Roney Carroll - 1955
Jerry Ogurkis - 1956
Rodney Norris - 1957*
Dan Santo - 1958 & 1959*
Bill Guttermuth - 1960
Bob Smith - 1961
Fred Sentner - 1962
Dave Ott -1963
John Henderson - 1964
Kent Webster 1965 & 1968
Steve Hiltabidle - 1966
Jeff Paxton - 1967

141
Mark Mansueto - 2001
Brandon York – 2002
Charlie Pinto -- 2005

142
Russ Reid -1972
Rob Stover - 1973
Tom Miller - 1991 & 1992

145
John Henderson - 1966
Keith Billotte - 1967
Kevin Gilead - 1968 & 1969

147
Danny Little - 1955*
Roney Carroll - 1956
Nick Biondi - 1957, 1958* & 1959
Pat Varre - 1960, 1961 & 1962*
Sam Bossert - 1963
Bob Kopnisky - 1964

150
Tom Nordland - 1970
David Strauss - 1971 & 1973
Rob Stover - 1972
Steve Woods - 1993
Pat Flynn - 1995

152
Gobel Kline - 1967 & 1968
Curt Callahan - 1969

157
Sal Amato - 1957
Dick Besnier - 1959 & 1960
Eugene Kerin - 1961* & 1962
Bob Kopinsky - 1963* & 1965*
Nelson Aurand - 1964

158
Curt Callahan - 1970
George Myers - 1971 & 1972
Tyrone Neal - 1974 & 1975 *
Scott Buckiso - 1989 & 1990
Arash Alizadeh- 1997

160
Joel Haan - 1968*
Gobel Kline - 1969*

167
Dick Dean - 1957
Joe Thomas - 1958
Leroy Kennedy - 1959
Eugene Kerin - 1960*
Karl Offenbacher - 1961
Dick Guidi - 1962
Amondo Soto - 1963 & 1966
Tom Geiger - 1965
Bob Karch - 1967*
John Dalgewicz - 1968
Joel Haan - 1969
Jack Hoffman - 1972
Steve Hogg - 1975 & 1977*
Kevin Johnson - 1976
Kevin Colabucci - 1978 & 1980*
Matt Caro - 1990

177
Joe Wozunk - 1956
Cliff Matthews - 1957
Dick Dean - 1958 & 1959
Bill Rishell - 1960 & 1961
Marshall Dauberman - 1962, 1963 & 1964
Nelson Aurand - 1965
Bob Karch - 1966
Randy Umberger - 1967 & 1969
Howard Zachman - 1968
Pat Twomey - 1970
Richard Ragan - 1971
Pat McCall - 1973
Kevin Johnson - 1975
Steve Heger - 1976 & 1977
Steve Peperak - 1985, 1986 & 1987

190
Pat McCall - 1972
Rich Ragan - 1973
Kevin Brown - 1991

191
Al Marinelli - 1958
Hank Poniatowski - 1960
Bob Hacker - 1961
Tom Geiger - 1963
Gary Wikander - 1964
Bob Karch - 1965
Olaf Drozdov - 1966
Howard Zachman - 1967 & 1969

HWT
Mike Sandusky - 1955 & 1956
Joe Dougherty - 1958
Roger Shoals - 1961
Gary Wikander - 1963
Olaf Drozdov - 1965
Tom Sinibaldi - 1967
Ralph Sonntag - 1968 & 1969
Mark Reid - 1972
Robert Tunstall - 1978
Tom Reese- 1986, 1987 & 1988

*-ACC Tournament Most Valuable Wrestler

ACC TOURNAMENT MOST VALUABLE WRESTLERS
1967..... Bob Karch (167)
1968..... Joel Hann (160)
1969..... Gobel Klilne (160)
1974..... Tyrone Neal (158)
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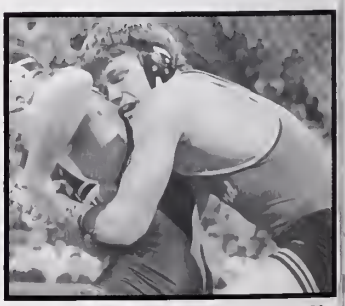
1977..... Steve Hogg (167)
1980..... Kevin Colabucci (167)
1996..... James Guzzio (134)

SOUTHERN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS
1941..... Paul McNeil (175)
1951..... Joel Adleberg (157)
1952..... Matt Flynn (130)
Rodney Norris (137)
Robert Fischer (157)
Ernie Fischer (167)
Jack Shanahan (177)
1953..... Rodney Norris (137)
Robert Fischer (157)
Ernie Fischer (167)
Jack Shanahan (177)

Matt Caro was the 1990 champ at 167 pounds.

James Guzzio was a two-time champ and was named ACC Wrestler of the Year in 1997.

Randy Umberger was a two-time champion at 177 pounds.


Steve Woods captured the ACC title in 1993 while competing at 150 pounds.

M
W
Wrestling

27 SPORTS | 1 TEAM

TERPS OF DISTINCTION

MARSHALL DAUBERMAN
All-American • 1964
177 Pounds (4th)

ERNIE FISCHER
U.S. Olympian • 1956
160.5 Pounds
All-American • 1954
167 Pounds (2nd)

TIM GEIGER
All-American • 1964
167 Pounds (4th)

JIM GUZZIO
All-American • 1997
134 Pounds (5th)

GOBEL KLINE
NCAA Champion • 1969
152 Pounds (1st)
All-American • 1969
All-American • 1968
152 Pounds (1st), (4th)

BOB KOPINSKY
NCAA Champion • 1965
157 Pounds (1st)
All-American • 1965
All-American • 1964
157 Pounds (1st), (5th)

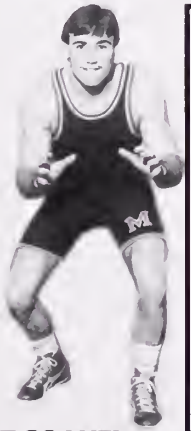
DAVID LAND
All-American • 1993
All-American • 1992
118 Pounds (7th), (8th)

TOM MILLER
All-American • 1992
142 Pounds (3rd)

STEVE PEPERAK
All-American • 1987
177 Pounds (8th)

TOM REESE
All-American • 1987
Heavyweight (5th)

MIKE SANDUSKY
All-American • 1957
Heavyweight (4th)



CURT SCOVEL
All-American • 1987
167 Pounds (8th)

ACC 50TH ANNIVERSARY TERPS

The Atlantic Coast Conference 50th Anniversary Wrestling Team was announced by Commissioner John Swofford in the fall of 2002. The 50-member team was voted on by the five league institutions that sponsor the sport as decided by the league's 50th Anniversary Committee. Maryland honorees, all of whom were All-Americans, are: Marshall Dauberman, Tim Geiger, Jim Guzzio, Gobel Kline, Bob Kopinsky, David Land, Tom Miller, Steve Peperak, Tom Reese and Mike Sandusky.

"STRIVE FOR CLARITY, BUT ACCEPT AND UNDERSTAND AMBIGUITY."

That phrase captures one way in which an educated person approaches the world and its challenges. Students who graduate from the University of Maryland have been exposed to the tools that allow them to put that perspective to work. Imparting such a perspective may be an ambitious project for undergraduate education, but to aim for anything less would be unworthy of a great university's goals for its students. Thirteen years ago, Promises to Keep, a plan for undergraduate education at Maryland, articulated those goals so eloquently we repeat them here.

Undergraduate education at Maryland "aims to provide students with a sense of identity and purpose, a concern for others, a sense of responsibility for the quality of life around them, a continuing eagerness for knowledge and understanding, and a foundation for a lifetime of personal enrichment."

As we learn with and from one another, we try to "develop human values," "celebrate tolerance and fairness," "contribute to the social conscience," "monitor and assess private and collective assumptions," and "recognize the glory, tragedy and humor of the human condition." Your years at the University of Maryland can provide you with all the tools you need to accomplish these goals. Students here are "educated to be able to read with perception and pleasure, write and speak with clarity and verve, handle numbers and computation proficiently, reason mathematically, generate clear questions and find probable arguments, reach substantiated conclusions and accept ambiguity."

AND WE ALSO HOPE YOU ENJOY THE JOURNEY.

FEAR THE TURTLE

THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

THE CAMPUS

By virtually every measure of quality, the University of Maryland has gained national recognition as one of the fastest-rising comprehensive research institutions in the country. The momentum of recent years has poised the university to move it into the top ranks of higher education and take leadership in shaping the research university of the 21st century.

The university has enjoyed a decade of momentum in all of the areas that affect quality. The average high school GPA of entering students has zoomed from 3.01 to nearly 3.90, and the average SATs are now more than 1270. The student body is a model of diversity, with minorities making up more than 32 percent of all students, and at least one graduate and undergraduate student from every state in the nation.

The university has 76 graduate and undergraduate programs ranked in the top 25 by *U.S. News and World Report*, up from just one program in 1991.

Sponsored research and outreach has nearly tripled in the same 10-year period, exceeding $350 million last year. Private giving also has increased, and the university last year concluded its first campaign by topping its $350 million goal by more than $100 million. Alumni Association membership has been growing at an average rate of 10 percent a year since 1992.

One of the largest research universities in the United States, Fall 2002 enrollment was 25,240 undergraduate and 9,561 graduate students. There are 94 undergraduate programs, 89 master's programs, 70 doctoral programs and one first professional degree program. More than 100 centers and institutes are engaged in research and outreach.

Faculty at the University of Maryland, in all fields of knowledge, are engaged at the highest levels of national and international concern. The university's location near the center of federal policy-making and international political and economic activity enables it to play an active role in research and analysis of public policy.

Maryland is one of 30 public universities in the prestigious 63-member Association of American Universities and the only public institution in the Maryland-D.C. area with membership in the nation's most distinguished honor society, Phi Beta Kappa.

DID YOU KNOW?

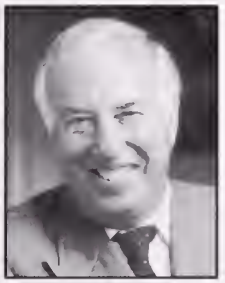
In 1991, Maryland had one program listed among Top 25 entrants in the *U.S. News & World Report Rankings*. **Maryland now has 76 programs ranked among the nation's elite, and the university is ranked 18th nationally among public universities.**

A report card published in *Technology Review* rated the top U.S. universities in their quest for intellectual property, commercial partners and profits. Johns Hopkins University and the University of Maryland (28th) were the Mid-Atlantic (Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, District of Columbia) schools to make the "campus patenting" top 50 list.

Black Issues In Higher Education ranked the university fourth nationally in bachelor's degrees earned by African-American students at traditionally white schools. Maryland ranks first in African-American undergraduate degrees in social sciences and history.

The Wall Street Journal ranked the Robert H. Smith School of Business No. 16 among the world's business schools. Maryland is the top-ranked school in the Mid-Atlantic region (Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia). The *Financial Times* of London ranked the Robert H. Smith School of Business No. 8 in information technology, No. 6 in faculty research and No. 7 in entrepreneurship.

In the undergraduate program rankings released by *U.S. News & World Report* both the A. James Clark School of Engineering (No. 16) and the Robert H. Smith School of Business (No. 27) were ranked among the top 30.



DR. C.D. MOTE

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT
CALIFORNIA '59
EIGHTH YEAR

In September 1998, C. D. (Dan) Mote, Jr. began his tenure as President of the University of Maryland and Glenn L. Martin Institute Professor of Engineering. He was recruited to lead the University of Maryland to national eminence under a mandate by the state. Since assuming the presidency, he has encouraged an environment of excellence across the University and given new impetus to the momentum generated by a talented faculty and student body. Under his leadership, academic programs have flourished. In 2005, the University was ranked 18th among public research universities, up from 30th in 1998. President Mote has emphasized broad access to the university's model, enriched undergraduate curriculum programs and launched the Baltimore Incentive Awards Program to recruit and provide full support to high school students of outstanding potential who have overcome extraordinary adversity during their lives.

He has spurred the university to lead the state in the development of its high-tech economy, especially in the information and communication, bioscience and biotechnology, and nano-technology sectors. President Mote has greatly expanded the university's partnerships with corporate and federal laboratories and successfully negotiated to bring to the College Park area the first Science Research Park sponsored by the People's Republic of China. Under his leadership, the University has established a research park, The University of Maryland Enterprise Campus, M-Square, located on a 115-acre site adjacent to the University of Maryland/College Park Metro with 3 million square feet of development potential. Among its first tenants are the Center for Advanced Study of Language, a joint venture of the University and Department of Defense, and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's new World Weather and Climate Prediction Center.

During President Mote's second year in office, the University began the largest building boom in its history, with more than $100 million in new projects breaking ground that year. New facilities address every aspect of university life, from the arts to recreation to classrooms and laboratories, and, in creative partnership with the private sector, new residential facilities. Highlights of the construction activity include the stunning Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center; the Comcast Center, a state-of-the-art sports complex; a high-tech research greenhouse; and new classrooms for chemistry, computer science, business and engineering. President Mote also led the development of a new Facilities Master Plan for development in the next 20 years, which is noted for its emphasis on environmental stewardship.

Dr. Mote is a leader in the national dialogue on higher education and his analyses of shifting funding models have been featured in local and national media. He has testified on major educational issues before Congress, representing the University and higher education associations on the problem of visa barriers for international students and scholars and on deemed export control issues. He has been asked to serve on a high level National Academies Committee appointed at the request of the Senate Energy Subcommittee of the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee to identify challenges to United States leadership in key areas of science and technology and to be a member of the Leadership Council of the National Innovation Initiative, an activity of the Council on Competitiveness.

He has served as vice chair of the Department of Defense Basic Research Committee, and is a member of the Council of the National Academy of Engineering. In 2004-2005, he served as President of the Atlantic Coast Conference. In its last ranking in 2002, "Washington Business Forward" magazine counted him among the top 20 most influential leaders in the region.

He and his wife of over 40 years, Patricia Mote, have two married children, Melissa and Adam, and four grandchildren. Patsy Mote has continued her strong support of the arts and is spokesperson for the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center and a member of Prince George's County Arts Commission.

DEBORAH A. YOW

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR • 12TH YEAR AT MARYLAND

Deborah A. Yow has just completed the 11th year of her outstanding tenure as director of athletics at the University of Maryland, a tenure that has seen unprecedented success and achievement in Maryland athletics. Each year has brought continued improvement and accomplishment in Terrapin athletics. In Yow's 11 years at Maryland, the Terrapins have won a remarkable nine NCAA national championships and graduated its student athletes at an enviable rate as Maryland athletics has soared to sustained new heights.

The comprehensive success of Terrapin athletics under Debbie Yow's leadership is a clear and compelling testimony of her values of excellence, teamwork and accountability.

Likewise, her prior election to the presidency of the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics is an indication of the wide respect with which she is regarded among its 6,100 members representing 1,600 colleges and universities in the U.S. and Canada.

She was honored in December, 2004, by *Street and Smith's Sports Business Journal* as one of the 20 most influential people in intercollegiate athletics, and she has received the Carl Maddox Sport Management Award presented by the United States Sports Academy for excellence in athletics administration.

Yow was selected to serve on the U.S. Department of Education's Commission on Opportunities in Athletics to review the status of Federal Title IX regulations. She recently served as the chair of the Atlantic Coast Conference Committee on Television. The committee is charged with overseeing the league's TV contracts and dealing with issues related to television. Yow led the committee during the successful renegotiation of comprehensive, multi-year ACC football and basketball contracts with ABC, ESPN, ESPN2 and syndication entities.

Additionally, she has represented intercollegiate athletics with presentations in a number of prominent settings such as the Harvard University School of Law conference on "Shaping the Future of Collegiate Athletics" and the *Street and Smith's Sports Business Journal* "National Forum on the Direction of Intercollegiate Athletics." She was also recently inducted into the State of Maryland Women's Hall of Fame.

Yow, who has served on the NCAA Management Council and the NCAA Division I Budget Committee, is a strong and steady voice on behalf of intercollegiate athletics in America.

Since taking over as AD at Maryland in 1994, she and her staff have:

- Transformed Terrapin athletics into a responsive, goal-oriented organization.
- Balanced all 11 of the department's annual budgets (the first balanced budgets in the 10 years prior to her arrival). The budget has now reached $53 million annually and the multi-million dollar accumulated operating debt which her administration inherited has been eradicated.
- Greatly enhanced the academic support services provided for student-athletes, with an enviable exhausted eligibility graduation rate of approximately 85 percent for student-athletes at Maryland.
- Led the Terrapins to a national all-sports ranking in the upper 7 percent of all NCAA Division I institutions.
- Significantly expanded marketing and fund-raising efforts on behalf of Terrapin athletics. As a result, private gifts to athletics have increased over 350 percent and corporate sponsorship revenues have increased by over 300 percent during her tenure at Maryland.
- Continued to dramatically improve venues and facilities for the department's 27 teams. The Comcast Center for men's and women's basketball and other sports that use the facility is a prime example of the dramatic upgrade of athletic facilities.
- Implemented a strategic management model.
- Developed a comprehensive Internet strategy with management, marketing and fund-raising applications.
- Significantly improved customer care in every area of Maryland athletics.

The most recent achievements of Maryland athletics are exceptional:

- Maryland was selected by *U.S. News & World Report* as one of the Top 20 athletic programs in the nation (for overall quality and competitive excellence).
- In men's basketball, the Terps won the Atlantic Coast Conference title over Duke in the championship game in 2004 and won the NCAA National Championship in 2002. Under Coach Gary Williams, the men's basketball team has appeared in 11 of the last 12 NCAA Tournaments, one of only six schools to do so.
- Women's basketball also won its way to the NCAA Tournament in 2004 and 2005, advancing to the second round.
- In football, the Terps won the 2001 Atlantic Coast Conference championship and played in the 2002 Orange Bowl, followed that with an 11-win season and a 30-3 victory over the University of Tennessee in the Peach Bowl, again followed by a 10-win season and a 41-7 win over West Virginia in the Gator Bowl on New Year's Day 2004. Additionally, Maryland is one of only six universities to win a National Championship in both basketball and football (UCLA, Michigan, Michigan State, Syracuse, Ohio State and Maryland).
- Maryland was ranked as the sixth-finest athletic program in the nation by the Laboratory for the Study of Intercollegiate Athletics in 2004, based on comprehensive criteria such as graduation rates, financial efficiency, equity effectiveness and competitive excellence.
- Hired the Associated Press National Coach of the Year, Brenda Frese, as the new women's basketball coach. In her third season at the helm, her team drew more than 17,243 to a regular-season game and advanced to the NCAA Tournament.
- Hired Dave Cottle, the third-winningest active men's lacrosse coach in the U.S., who guided his team to the NCAA Final Four in his second year.
- Field Hockey played for the National Championship in 2001 and continues to be a Final Four team.
- Women's Lacrosse has continued its winning ways with seven national championships from 1995-2001, with additional Final Four appearances.
- Football facilities have been significantly enhanced with team house, stadium and practice field upgrades. The Academic Center was the first improvement, as it took priority over all other initiatives.
- The Terrapins have moved into the new $125 million Comcast Center, housing athletic department offices and seating for 18,000 fans for basketball and other events.
- In 2004-05, 13 Maryland teams competed in NCAA postseason play.
- The productivity, morale, and the competitive and academic achievement of Terrapin athletics are exceptional and continue to gain momentum.

Regarding the many achievements of Terrapin athletics over the past 11 years, Yow says, "We are pleased, but we are not satisfied... our vision is to be one of the Top 5 programs in the nation consistently... we see no reason to settle for less."

Yow is known for her goal-oriented and proactive management style. She consistently inspires and challenges those around her to "raise our sights and sharpen our tools... to work hard and smart... to recognize that our only limitations are those that we place upon ourselves."

As a manager and a leader, she clearly models these principles. She is the only known current AD in NCAA Division I who has hired both the National Coach of the Year in football (while at Maryland) and the National Coach of the Year in men's basketball (while at Saint Louis University). Yow is known as "a coach's AD," while also being highly organized and a strategic and proactive leader and administrator. Quite simply, Debbie Yow personifies the relational and management dynamics that are necessary to be an excellent administrator.

A successful former basketball coach at the University of Kentucky and University of Florida, she moved into athletics administration at the University of Florida and the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, followed by a successful tenure as AD at Saint Louis University from 1990 through 1994.

She has authored numerous articles and books on athletics management and human behavior, and is a respected leader in intercollegiate athletics in the United States.

Summing up the entire Maryland athletics program, our athletics director recently stated, "We have the finest student-athletes, coaches, support staff and administrative team in America. It is because of their courage, hard work and cooperative spirit that we now have a strong, viable athletic program. I am immensely proud of each of them. I am equally proud of our Terrapin fans who buy tickets, our Terrapin Club members who faithfully support the Maryland athletic program with their donations for scholarships, and the M Club members who serve and give liberally. We are also blessed with a terrific President, Dr. Dan Mote, who has fostered a mindset of excellence across our institution. He is a strong and balanced advocate for what he calls 'the three As of the University – Academics, the Arts and Athletics'. We have a great Terrapin family. That's the foundation for all of our success... and the basis for our bright future. It's a great time to be a Terp."

ACADEMIC SUPPORT AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT

The University of Maryland is committed to providing the highest quality education to all of its students. The Department of Intercollegiate Athletics strives to provide student-athletes excellent opportunities to participate in an intercollegiate athletics program of the highest quality, with the result that their athletics participation becomes an integral and valued component of their total educational experience at the university.

Terrapin student-athletes will find that the same hard work and discipline that has earned them success in athletics competition is also required in the classroom. Balancing the significant time demands and responsibilities required to be a successful student-athlete at the highest collegiate level is no small task. Therefore, as a result of their commitment to representing the university through athletics, Terrapin student-athletes are able to utilize support programs designed to meet their specific needs.

Led by assistant athletics director Anton Goff, the mission of the Academic Support and Career Development Unit (ASCDU) is to provide quality developmental programs and need-based services that will enhance academic progress, facilitate career development, and encourage the psychosocial growth of all UM student-athletes. **Don Pearman** (right) works with the wrestling team.

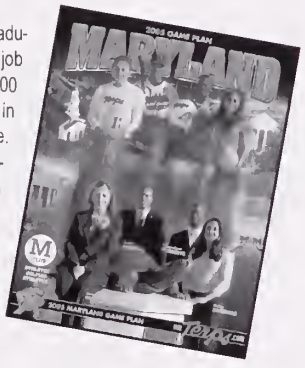
The Gossett Academic Support and Career Development Center for Terrapin student-athletes, named for long-time Terp supporters Barry and Mary Gossett, is located in the Comcast Center. It features a study center that includes 25 desktop computers, a tutoring center, a classroom, a CHAMPS/Life Skills resource room and individual offices for six professional academic counselors, a director of ILP programs, an assistant program coordinator and two graduate assistants. In addition, a new academic wing was added to the Gossett football team house last Fall. It features offices for two counselors, three learning specialist, and a graduate assistant; as well as a quiet study area, 29-desk computer lab, classroom, tutor rooms and classroom/lab for the individualized learning program.

Academic courses, programs and services offered by ASCDU include the following:

- Student-athlete orientation
- Academic counseling
- NCAA academic eligibility monitoring
- Academic enrichment and career development presentations and workshops
- Accredited tutorial support
- Individualized learning program
- EDCP 108-K (College learning strategies and skills)
- EDCP 108-M (Math learning strategies and skills)
- UNIV 100 (First-year transitions to the university)

MARYLAND GAMEPLAN

The Maryland Gameplan is intended to assist graduating Terrapin student-athletes as they begin the job search process. It is distributed to more than 500 corporations and businesses across the country, in addition to being featured on the M Club website. Prospective employers are introduced to our graduating student-athletes with resume information relative to academic, career and personal achievements. The Maryland Gameplan directory is produced annually in collaboration with the M Club.



CAREER NETWORKING NIGHT

Because career development is an ongoing process, ASCDU provides a variety of programs for student-athletes throughout the year. Professional assistance with resume- writing, interviewing skills, graduate school search and job search is readily available to all student-athletes. During the spring semester ASCDU hosts the Career Networking Night, where student-athletes can learn about career interests and career planning. Unlike typical "job fairs," the purpose of this program is to allow student-athletes to explore multiple career opportunities by speaking directly to individuals in their chosen areas of interest. Employers at the Career Networking Night recognize the marketable qualities student-athletes have gained through athletic participation. Student-athletes learn about opportunities for internships and full-time jobs.

STUDENT-ATHLETE ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Student-Athlete Advisory Council (S.A.A.C.) plays an important role in the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics. It consists of two representatives from each varsity sport and meets on a regular basis with representatives from the athletic administration. The S.A.A.C. mission is to enhance the total student-athlete experience by developing leadership skills, promoting student-athlete welfare and fostering a positive student-athlete image on the Maryland campus, local area and nationally.

CHAMPS/LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMS

ASCDU houses the NCAA's (National Collegiate Athletic Association) Challenging Athletes' Minds for Personal Success (C.H.A.M.P.S.) Life Skills Program. The ASCDU staff, in collaboration with various other Department of Intercollegiate Athletics' units and campus resources, strives to provide a systematic personal development program designed to reach each student-athlete based on his or her individual needs. The focus of the program is on the individual academically, athletically and emotionally, and on the changing needs and skills of that individual in the years during college and after graduation. The menu of presentations, workshops and seminars is a comprehensive and balanced system of "life learning" programs promoted for use by each varsity sport team.

NCAA CHAMPS/Life Skills PROGRAM

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE CHAMPS/LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMS:

- Support efforts of every student-athlete toward intellectual development and graduation
- Use athletics as preparation for success in life
- Meet the changing needs of student-athletes
- Promote respect for diversity among student-athletes
- Enhance interpersonal relationships in the lives of student-athletes
- Assist student-athletes in building positive self-esteem
- Enable student-athletes to make meaningful contributions to their communities
- Promote ownership by the student-athletes of their academic, athletic, personal and social responsibilities
- Enhance partnerships between the NCAA, member institutions and their communities for the purpose of education
- Encourage the development of leadership skills

CHAMPS/LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMS COMMITMENT STATEMENTS

- Commitment to Academic Excellence To support the academic progress of the student-athlete toward intellectual development and graduation.
- Commitment to Athletic Excellence To build philosophical foundations for the development of athletic programs that are broad-based, equitable and dedicated to the well-being of the student-athlete.
- Commitment to Personal Development To support the development of a well-balanced lifestyle for student-athletes, encouraging emotional well-being, personal growth and decision-making skills.
- Commitment to Career Development To encourage the student-athlete to develop and pursue career and life goals.
- Commitment to Service To engage student-athletes in service to his/her campus and surrounding communities.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT FOR RETURNING ATHLETES PROGRAM

The Academic Support for Returning Athletes Program was created in 1986 to support the academic efforts of former varsity student-athletes at the University of Maryland, College Park. In 1989, ASRAP was assigned by the President's Office to the Academic Achievements Program and enrolled 40 students that year. As a member of the National Consortium for Academics and Sports (NCAS), the University of Maryland is committed to assisting its former athletes with degree completion. A key component of the program is community outreach. Each returning student completes a "workship" that allows the cost of tuition and fees to be exchanged for community services with youth. In 2002, ASRAP moved into the ASCDU.

NO BETTER PLACE TO BE

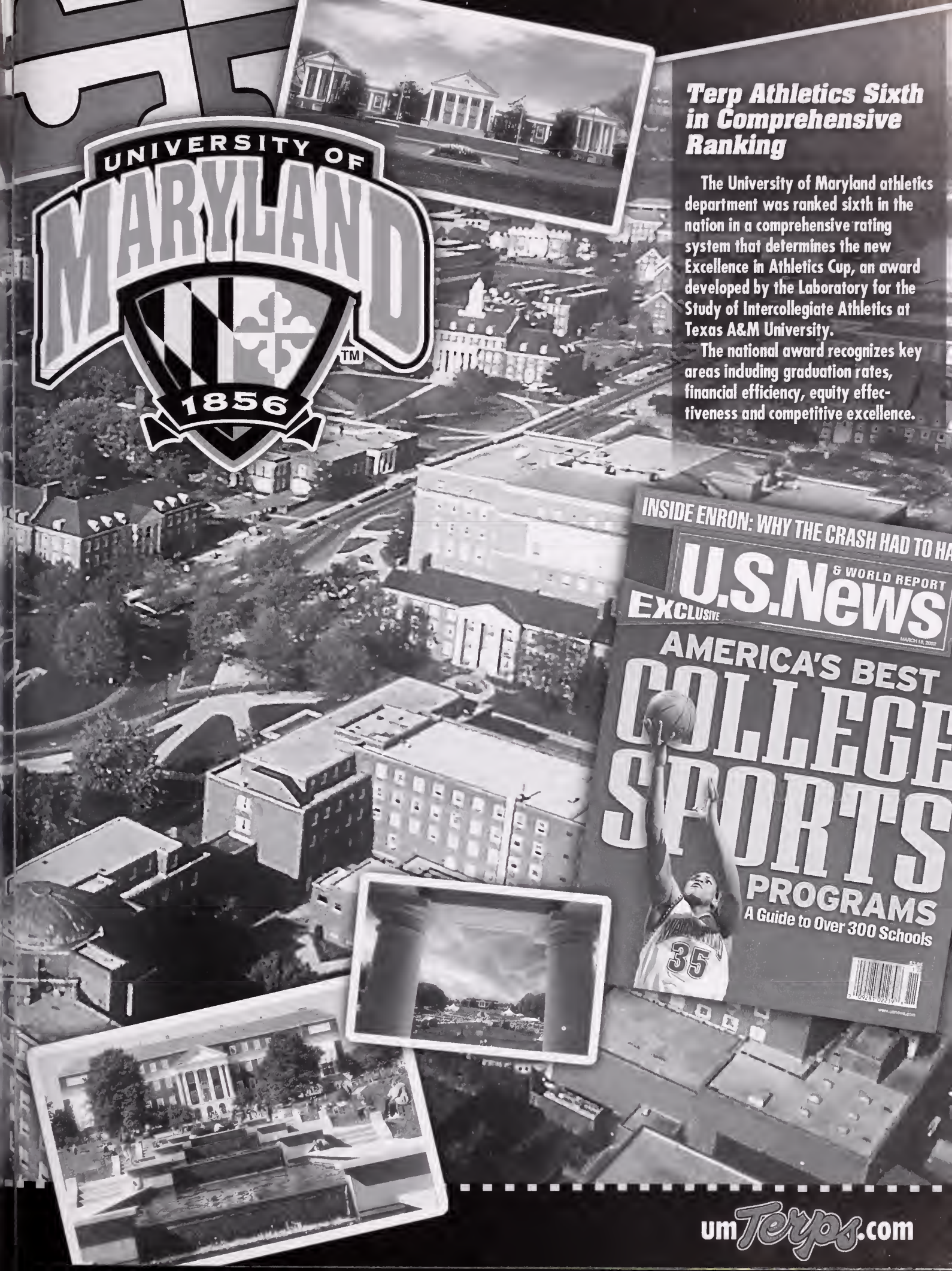
There is no better place to be than the University of Maryland, College Park. With its top-ranked academic programs, nationally recognized faculty, diverse population, and lush 1,580-acre campus located between Washington, D.C., and Baltimore, Md., it's no wonder the University of Maryland is a sought-after destination for some of the state's — and the country's — best and brightest students.

Attracting them are some 111 majors and some of the highest-ranked programs in the country. As of 2004, 70 programs rank in the Top 25 nationally and 45 programs are in the Top 15. For instance, in the latest *U.S. News & World Report* undergraduate rankings, the University of Maryland's business school was rated 20th nationally, while the engineering school was ranked 22nd. In graduate school rankings, the A. James Clark School of Engineering, the School of Public Affairs, the College of Behavioral & Social Sciences, the Robert H. Smith School of Business and the College of Education all had specialties listed among the Top 25 in the nation, according to *U.S. News & World Report*.

High-tech, engineering, and service industries thrive in close proximity to the campus, offering a wide spectrum of internships, work-study opportunities and career choices for students. And, the campus is surrounded by the dynamic cultural opportunities that only a major metropolitan area can provide.

Whether your focus is the sciences or the humanities, a small-town atmosphere or a metropolitan feel, the University of Maryland offers a wide range of educational and cultural opportunities.

There truly is no better place to be than the University of Maryland, College Park.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Services: The Media Relations Office will provide complete statistics at the conclusion of every home game. Programs containing rosters and event notes on each team will be provided for the working media.

Fax Machine: The Media Relations Office has one facsimile machine, located in Room 2725 of Comcast Center. The fax number is (301) 314-9094.

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MICHAEL LIPITZ
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Michael Lipitz is in his seventh year with Maryland Athletics and was promoted to senior associate athletics director in June of 2004. He oversees the Terps wrestling and women's golf programs.

Lipitz supervises the marketing and licensing unit, video unit and serves as the department's liaison to Maryland's marketing rights holder, Terrapin Sports Marketing.

Lipitz takes a lead role in numerous special initiatives, such as the launch of FridgeTV.com, the creation of Maryland Women's Basketball: Under the Shell and the development of online student ticket distribution. He also serves as the department's liaison to Dr. Charles Wellford, Faculty Athletics Representative, the Student-Athlete Advisory Council, the University Sportsmanship Committee and other campus constituencies.

Lipitz was a four-year varsity starter and two-year co-captain on the Terrapins' men's tennis team. He graduated with a degree in government and politics and dual concentrations in English and political leadership. Before returning to Maryland, Lipitz earned his law degree from Villanova Law School, where he specialized in domestic relations.

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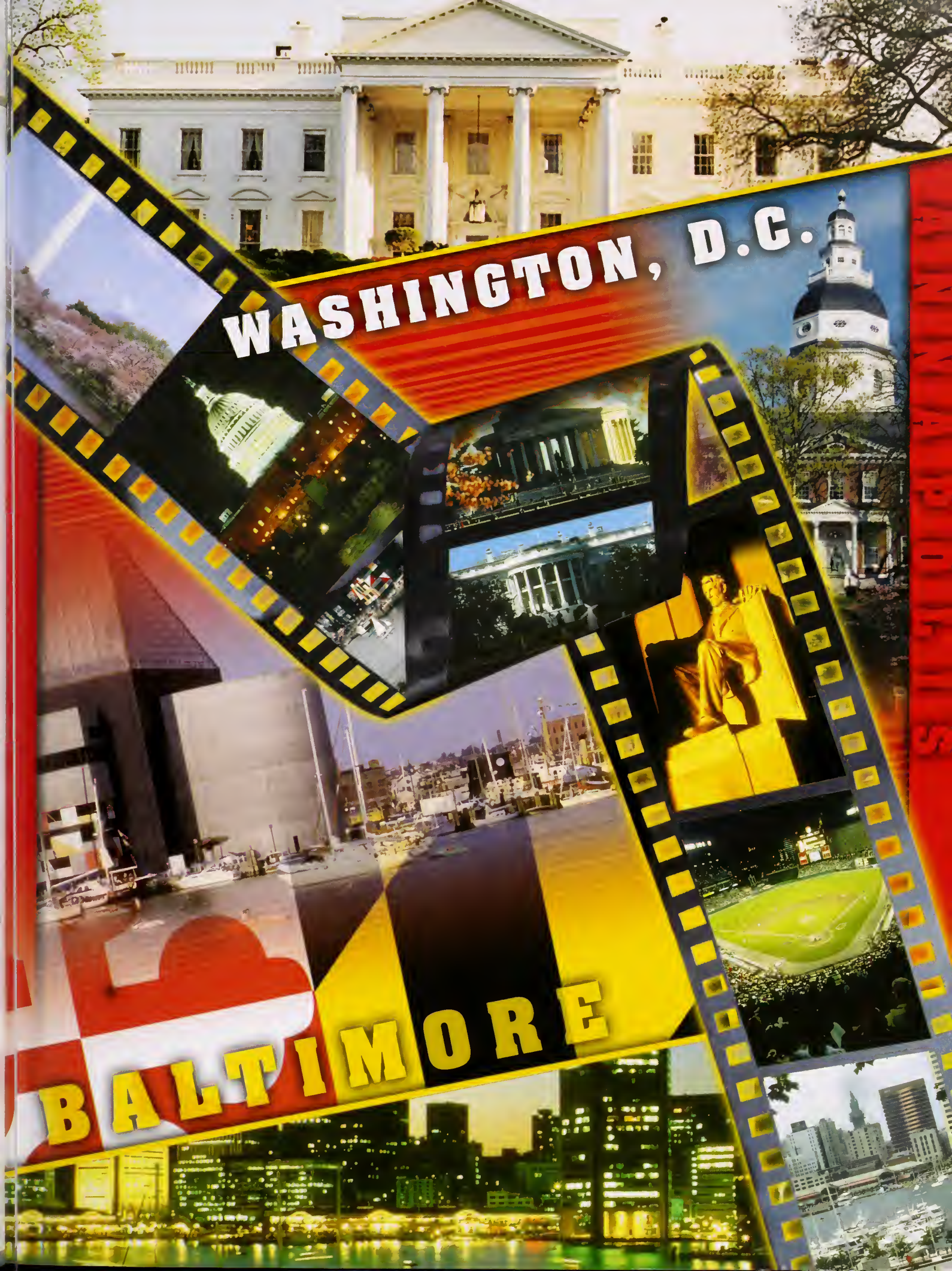
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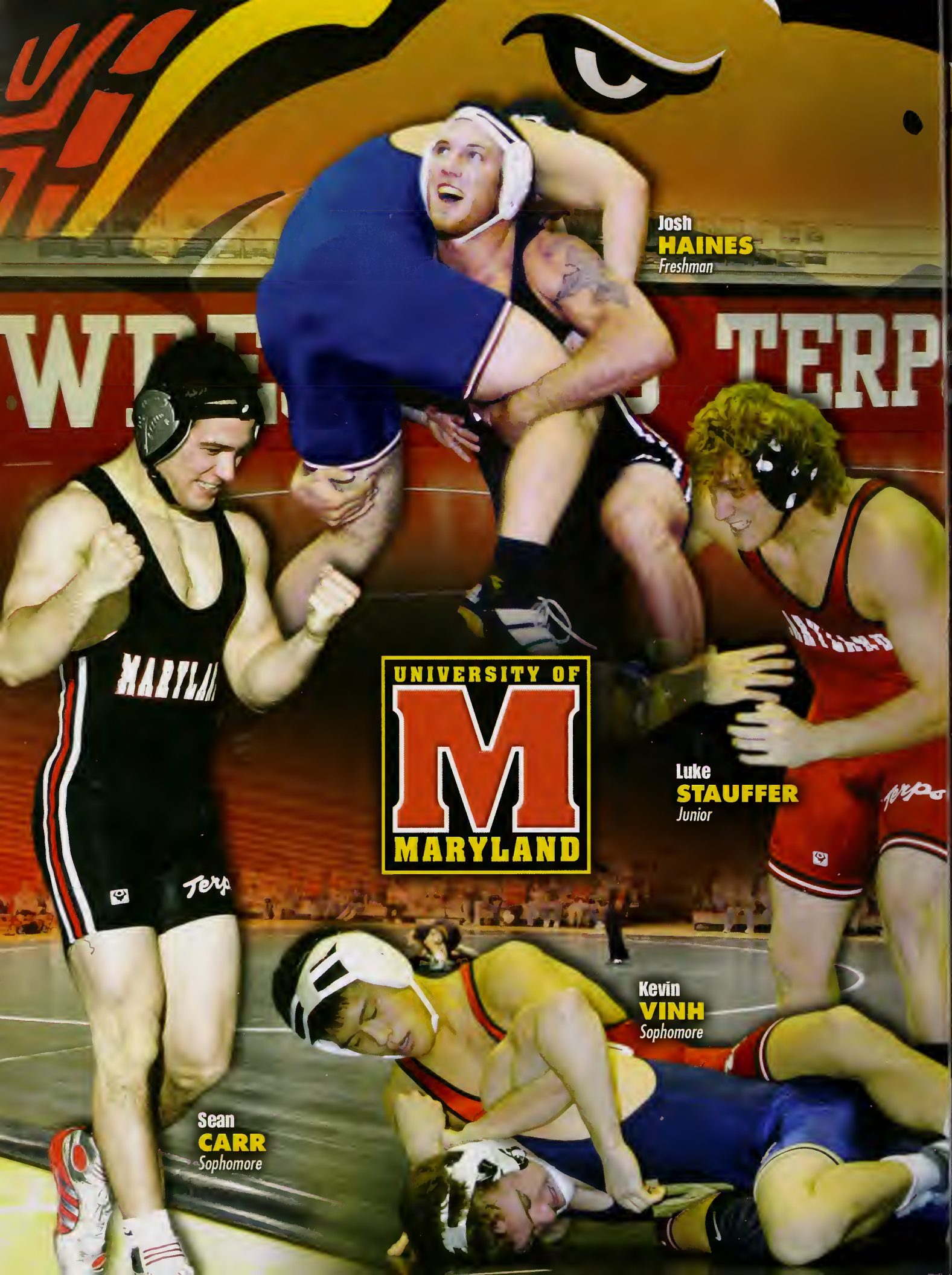
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